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### Local Matters,

Board of Aldermen.

The monthly meeting of the board of aldermen was held on Tuesday evening, when considerable business was transacted in spite of the fact that the members were anxious to get the election returns. A number of bills were approved and ordered paid from the several appropriations.

J. J. Lynch, who was the lowest bidder for the heating plant for the new highway department roller building, was present with a representative of the manufacturers to explain the type of heater that it is proposed to install, and the contract was awarded to him. Several names were reported to be placed on the eligible list of applicants for the permanent fire department, and the board adopted a regulation making the minimum height five feet six inches. An application for a hackney license, which had not been recommended by the superintendent of backs because of the inability of the applicant to speak English fluently, was referred back to the superintendent for further consideration.

A number of applications for street and sidewalk improvements of various kinds were referred to the representative council.

At the weekly meeting of the board on Thursday evening, Mayor Boyle prosided after having been absent for some time, and considerable business was transacted. An agreement having been reached with the owners of land desired to be taken for the Washington street extension, a decree was adopted and the amounts of the award were ordered paid. The awards are as follows: Edward L. Spencer \$1510; Thomas D. Mills \$3393; Hiram Drury \$3012; Malene A. Fletcher \$6870; Edmund W. Kent \$2042; Amelia W. Buenzie \$3528; and Edith Kendail \$3524.

A deed to Miantonomi avenue was presented to the board and referred to Alderman Kirby. Miss Ellen F. Mason was given leave to withdraw her petition to cut down a tree that obstructed her view. A committee consisting of Aldermen Hanley and Kirby was appointed to act with the city solicitor to ace if a satisfactory compromise could be effected with Henry J. Jones in his claim against the city for loss of his wife's services. Some new names were added to the cligible list for the are department and other routine matters were disposed of.

### Eastern Star Whist.

Aquidneck Chapter, No. 7. Order of the Eastern Star, gave a delightful afternoon whist at the Masonic Temple on Thursday, both straight whist and auction bridge being played. The auction prizes were won by Mrs. Raymond J. Anderton, first; Mrs. Henry St Clair, second; and Mrs. John K. McLennan, third. At straight whist the prize winners were Mrs. John W. Dorey, first; Miss Ella Crandall, second; and Mrs. Archibald Alty, consolation. Sixteen tables were engaged in play. Refreshments were served.

Rev. John Andrew Jones will leave Newport next Monday to take up his daties as pastor of the First Baptist Church of Chicopee, Mass. Mr. Jones has been in Newport for several years and is very highly esteemed by the members of his church as well as by the residents generally regardless of church amiliation. He will preach his farewell sermon tomorrow.

Rev. James Coyle, a native of Rhode island, and formerly a resident of Newgert, has been signally honored by Pepe Benedict. He will hereafter be known 14 Monsignor Coyle. His many friends in this city will rejoice at his promo-

Burdick Elected Mayor.

Wins by Substantial Majority over Dr. Flynn-Aldermen John J. Peckham and James McLeish Defeated-High School Proposition Snowed Under Four

Hon. Clark Burdick will be the next Mayor of Newport as the result of the city election on Tuesday, in which he von a majority of 251 votes over Dr. David E. Flynn. It had been generally believed that Senator Burdick would have an easy victory so that the strength developed by Dr. Flynn was a surprise to the friends of both candidates. However, the plurality is a substantial one and leaves no doubt as to the people's choice, differing in this respect from some elections in the past when Mayoralty candidates have been elected by narrow margins. Dr. Flynn's aggressive campaign and hi two personal railles undoubtedly made votes for him from some of the people who took his candidacy as a joke at the

There are two important changes in the board of altiermen. Alderman John J. Peckham eteps out after one year in office to give place to former Alderman Hughes whom he displaced a year ago. Alderman McLeish from the fifth ward retires in favor of a new man in the board, former Councilman J. Joseph M. Martin. The other members of the board were all re-elected-Aldermen Hanley from the first, Kirby from the second, and Leikly from the fourth. Alderman Kirby was unopposed, but the other two had a stiff fight.

The contest for school committee was colorless one, there being no opposition to any of the candidates. Messrs. Thomas B. Congdon, William W. Covell, and Henry C. Stevens, Jr., were re-elected, and Dr. Barker's place was filled by Mr. Leander K. Carr, as the Doctor declined to be a candidate again. For the one year vacancy caused by the death of Dr. Darrah, Mr. John P. Sullivan was elected without

For representative council, the contests were somewhat colorless. In the third ward there was absolutely no opposition, only thirteen names being on the ballot. The first ward had three extra names, the second 6, the fourth 9, and the fifth 6. There were several vacancies to be filled, but in the fourth ward only was there any contest for these places. Moderators and clerks were elected without opposition, the first three wards being Republicans and the fourth and fifth Democrats.

The High School proposition fell by the wayside and was buried under an avalanche of votes, the vote being more than four to one against the proposition. While it had been expected that it would be voted down at this time the size of the vote was quite a surprise. The total vote cast was quite a good one for a city election running ahead of the election last year, but of course not being equal to the vote cast in the Presidential election last month. There were over 4500 names checked on the lists this year. In the early morning hours the vote came out apparently about normal, but then it slacked off until late in the afternoon when a rush of activity on the part of the workers brought many to the polls. Most of the work around the polls was being done in the interests of the candidates for Mayor and Aldermen. The Burdick campaign committee did some good work and Dr. Flynn also had a lot of friends working for him. All the aldermanic candidates were active in their own behalf. The lack of council candidates reduced the usual crowd of workers at the polls, in contrast to some former years when there have been so many men soliciting votes for themselves that it was hard to get inside the polling places.

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FOR ALDERIES.
FIRST Ward.

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One Year.

REPRESENTATIVE COUNCIL. FIRST WARD.

Elected-John Z. Lawton, Philip H. Caswell, Charles F. Child. Harry G. Christian, Harold P. Amold, Fred W.

Winsor, James T. Douglas, Seddie E. Williams, George M. deFray, James Jestings, Franklin P. James, Hugh M. Oxx, Charles J. Schultz.
Not elected-Bernard Hackett, James E. Kavanagh, John J. Akroyd.
Elected for two years to fill four vacancies-William B. Weaver, Junius P. Leonard, Oliver W. Huntington, Philip Firnges.

Firnges.
Elected for one year to fill one vacancy--Lars Larsen.

SECOND WARD.

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Elected - Sydney D. Barvey, Robert
L. Oman, Joseph Gibson, Benjamin F.
Downing, 3rd, Abner L. Slocum, Ira
W. Wilbor, Jr., T. Fred Kaull, Thomas
L. Bain, J. Frank Albro, J. Alton Barker, Joseph W. Blaine, C. Elmer
Clarke, Harry W. Boudreau.
Not elected—William B. Child, James
A. Girr, Nelson R. Duby, William H.
Jackson, Marcus C. Andrews, Edward
Davis.

Elected for one year to fill vacancy. THIRD WARD,

Elected-William Andrews, Jr., Frederick P. Lee, John C. Burke, William B. Franklin, Simeon E. Westell, Jr., John C. Seabury, Simon Koschny, Joseph Pearson, Frank W. Putman, Frederick P. Garrettson, Herbert L. Dyer, Jacob A. Jacobs, John Gladding, Jr. FOURTH WARD.

Elected-William Williams. Elected—William Williams, Charles M, Brierley, Quinton Kuin, James E, Blake, Francis A. Keenan, John E, O'Neill, Stephen S. Carr, William J. Lacey, William J. Burns, James A, Dwyer, Micah W. Wetherell, Victor Baxter, Michael F. Murray, Not elected—Charles M. Sullivan,

William B. Byrnes, Richard J. Lawton, Christopher Trager, John F. Harring-ton, Daniel J. Condon, James J. Con-nell, Joseph H. Watts, Robert E. Gor-Elected to fill vacancies—Two years, Michael Harrington, Jr.; one year, Richard T. Dugan. Not elected— Michele Decotis and Joseph H. Gill.

FIFTH WARD. Elected—Ernst Voigt, Carl J. Voigt,
Patrick J. Connell, James J. Martin,
Michael F. Kelly, James W. Sullivan,
Henry A. Martin, Andrew F. McCarthy, Abraham J. Carter, James M.
Kirwin, James Meliff, John F. Kane,
John J. Cassidy.

Not elected—Thomas M. Bric, John
J. Sullivan, Thomas F. Casey, George
Maher, Andrew F. Dwyer, William J.
Matson.

Matson.
Elected to fill vacancies—Two years,
John P. Sweeney and Patrick J. Keenan; one year, Lawrence J. Hickey,
John E Stevens, John H. A. Kelley.

Exc Islor Endge, L.O. O. F.

Excelsior Lodge, No. 49, 1. O. O. F., held its annual meeting and election of officers on Tuesday evening, with a large attendance of members. During the evening a membership card in Ocean Lodge, dated 1845, the first Odd Fellows Lodge in Newport, and which was subsequently merged in Rhode Island Lodge, was presented from Nathan Hammett Jones.

The following officers were elected: Noble Grand-Rogers W. Clark. Vice Grand-Edward L. Potter. Recording Secretary-Perry B. Daw-

ley.
Financial Secretary-Allen C. Griffith
Treasurer-J. Ruswell Chase, P. G.
Trustees-William H. Sisson, P. G.,
George S. Stoddard, P. G., Harry L.
Vickers P. C. Vickers, P. G.

Geo. W. Eddy, the official in charge of the Block Island Weather Bureau reports 14 clear days in November, 6 partly cloudy and 10 cloudy. There were 8 rainy days. The highest temperature for the month was 60°, and the lowest 25°. The mean temperature for the month was 45.3. The highest temperature in thirty-seven years for the month of November was 70° and the lowest 14°. The deliciency in rainfail since January 1st is 9.51 inches.

Aldermen Peckham and Kirby have had a conference with representatives of the donors of the Vanderbilt memorial fountain, as a result of which it has been tentatively agreed that the fountain shall be located on the Congdon lot on Broadway which is to be bought by the city as soon as the General Assembly authorizes the purchase.

Now that the city election is over, candidates for the various city offices to be filled at the first meeting of the representative council arc. already beginning to come forward.

Through the efforts of Hon. Frederick P. Garrettson subscriptions are being received for a Christmas fund for the men of the Brenton's Reef Light-

The steam road rollers have been returned to the roller house on the City wharf, and the highway department has settled down into winter quarters.

Mrs. Fanny Lawton, in behalf of Lawton-Warren Post, Women's Relief Corps, has presented a handsome American flag to the Potter Echool. Foxhall Keene, who was severely in-

jured in a fall from his horse while fox hunting, is reported better and his physicians look for his early recovery. A new artificial ice plant is to be

erected on Spring wharf in time for use in the spring. It will be the property of the American Ice Company. "The Man on the Box" will be pre-

The December session of the Superior Court for Newport County opened in ; this city on Monday with Judge Rathbun presiding. The docket for this session is not as long as it sometimes is, the interval since the October session having been short.

Superior Court.

Candidates for grand jury duty were examined and accepted and Senator Alton Head of Jamestown was appointed foreman. The grand jury then retired with the Assistant Attorney General to consider a number of cases. Later they reported five indictments, one of which was secret and a capias was issued to bring in the defendant in this case. The other indictments were against William Towers and Samuel M. Pierson, Jr., of Tiverton charged with breaking and entering in the night time and larceny, there being two indictmente against each.

While the grand jury was out, the docket was called over and some cases were assigned for trial at this session. After court had apparently adjourned for the day, Judge Rathbun again came to the bench and heard depositions in the famous Walker divorce case. This came as a petition for absolute divorce brought by Nina G. Walker against James. W. G. Walker and was not contested. The court granted an absolute divorce and gave the custody of the children to Mrs. Walker, decision being on the ground of neglect to provide. This apparently ends an unsavory case that has been in the courts in one form or another since October, 1909.

On Tuesday divorce cases were in order for trial, several petitions being granted. Elizabeth L. E. Welch of Newport vs. William C. Welch resulted in a verdict for petitioner on the ground of extreme cruelty with custody of minor child. Joseph R. West of Newport was divorced from Lila W. West on the ground of living separate and apart for ten years, Frances Ashby was divorced from Robert Ashby, Jr., on the ground of non-support.

Because of the absence of a material witness, the case of Joseph G. Garlock vs. Sadie M. Garlock was continued over the protest of counsel for the petitioner who was present with witnesses. William T. Vars vs. Bessie A. Vars was also continued temporarily pending the payment by petitioner of sums ordered by the court at a previous session.

On Wednesday and Thursday the case of State vs. Samuel Hall was heard by a jury, a verdict of guilty being returned. The case of State vs. George Hartell, charged with attempted robbery at the Hermann Jewelry Store, was to have been tried on Thursday, but Hartell's counsel, Mr. Nolan, moved for a change of venus on account of recently published articles prejudicial to his client. The motion acts as a stay of proceeding for five days.

### Wedding Bells.

### Metzger-MacKaye.

The wedding of Miss Dorothy Mac-Kaye, daughter of Mrs. H. Goodwin MacKaye, and Lieutenant Earl H. Metzger, U. S. A., took place at the residence of the bride's mother at the Bailey farm in Middletown on Tuesday evening and was a very pretty affair. The house was very prettily decorated and the bright uniforms of the afficers of the army who were present added a touch of color to the scene.

The bride wore a gown of white satin and tulle, trimmed with old point lace from her mother's wedding gown. Her bridal veil was caught up with white satin ribbon, and her bouquet was of gardenias and lilies of the valley in shower effect. She was escorted to the alter in the floral bower by her cousin, Mr. Harold Steele MacKaye, who gave her in marriage. Miss Mary MacKave was the matron of honor The groom was attended by Lieutenant Augustus Norton, U.S.A., as best man. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Stanley C. Hughes, rector of Trinity Church.

Following a reception the young couple left on their wedding trip and will make their home at Fortress Monroe, where Lieutenant Metzger will be connected with the Artillery School.

There was a public meeting in the Rogers High School on Monday evening under the auspices of the publicity committee of the school committee to explain the necessity for the appropriation of \$365,000 for the extension of the Rogers High School. Chairman William P. Clarke presided. There was a small attendance, but those present evinced much interest in the proposition. Head Master Frank E. Thompson told of the necessity for more room, and Architect B. Hammett Seabury explained the plans for 'the new building. Superintendent Lull and several members of the school committee also spoke.

leased the former Davies residence, sented before the Unity Club next "Pinecroft" on Purgatory road, for the Tuesday evening under the direction of season of 1917. This property now belongs to St. George's School.

Recent Deaths.

William H. Arnold.

Mr. William H. Arnold, one of Newport's oldest business men, died at his home on Summer street on Tuesday after a long illness which had confined him to his home for about a year. During the last few months he had failed steadily and the end did not come as a surprise.

Mr. Arnold was born on April 22, 1837, and his early life was spent in Portsmouth, removing to Newport to live in 1809. He was the oldest business man on Broadway, having started in business as a grocer in 1869, later cing engaged as a canvasser and agent, but having conducted his picture store since 1881. A few months ago, the business was disposed of because of Mr. Arnold's health. For many years he was a familiar figure to passers along Broadway, frequently occupying a chair in his front doorway during the warm months.

In his younger days, Mr. Arnold was much sought after at all social gatherings, having a fine voice and being willing to sing on all occasions. He was a member of many musical organizations, taking an active interest and being a ready worker in every gathering. He had been a member of the First Methodist Episcopal Church for 46 years, holding a number of important offices there. He was one of the oldest members of the Young Men's Christian Association and was long one of the aclive workers, serving on important committees and taking an important part in the development of the Association to its present important proportions. He had been a member of St. Paul's Lodge, No. 14, F. & A. M., for a quarter of a century, having been made a Mason in Eureka Lodge of Portsmouth and affiliating with St. Paul's.

He is survived by three daughters-Mrs. Harry Q. Chappelle, Mrs. George Sutherland, and Mrs. Gilbert S. Readand one son, Mr. William M. Arnold.

William F. Williamson.

Mr. William F. Williamson, a well known businessman, died at the Newport Hospital on Sunday after an illness of several months, during which he had suffered a great deal. native of England, but had lived in this country for nearly fifty years, practically all that time in Newport. He was employed for about ten years in the fish and fruit market of Carry Brothers and later engaged in business for himself on Thames street where Ferretti's fruit store is now located. After retiring from that business he was engaged as fish agent for some of the large fish concerns of New York and Boston.

He had been a member of the First Baptist Church for many years and took an active interest in the work of the church. He was a member of St. John's Lodge, No. 1, A. F. & A. M.; Newport Chapter, No. 2, R. A. M.; and Redwood Lodge, Knights of Pythias. He was for a number of years an active member of the Newport Artillery Company.

He is survived by a widow, who was Miss Ella Peabody, formerly a teacher in the public schools of Newport.

Funeral services were held at the First Baptist John Clarke Memorial Church on Wednesday afternoon, Rev. J. Andrew Jones officiating. St. John's Lodge of Masons attended in a body and the Masonic ritual was conducted at the grave. There were many handsome floral tributes.

Dr. Henry Van Dyke has resigned as American minister to The Netherlands. to resume literary work. It is reported that John W. Garrett of Baltimore will succeed him. Thaildeus Austin Thomson, minister to Colombia, and William S. Hornibrook, minister to Siam, have also resigned. It is understood that Hornibrook's will be accepted, but there s some doubt as to the acceptance of Thomson's during the pendency of Colombia-American settlement. Rev. Henry Van Dyke is well known in New port having been formerly pastor of the United Congregational Church.

The little candy shop on Battery Park, kept by Joseph B. Child, was totally destroyed by fire of unknown origin at an early hour Sunday morn ing. The fire was discovered by a passing apprentice from the Training Station who pulled box 16, and the fire was quickly extinguished as soon as a stream of water was turned on.

The work of improving the roadway, sidewalks and esplanade on Market square has been completed, and a vast change is noticeable. Although the improvements are not yet as extensive as were contemplated in the Olmstead plan, it may be found possible at some a ter date to carry these plans into ef feet.

The apprentice reamon from the Mrs. Sidney Jones Colford, Jr., has | Training Station and their regular weekly practice mails on Wednesday for the first time in two weeks. ter weather is likely to put a stop to these marches at any time.

#### MIDDLETOWN.

(From our Regular Correspondent.)

The Paradire Club, which contributed \$5.00 for the Thinkegiving work of the Sunshine Society of Newport, voted, at their meeting this week, to give \$10.00 to the Salvation Army Newport, for their Christmas fund. Five dollars was given last year but prices are now so high the club decided to increase the gift.

#### THANKSGIVING DECORATIONS.

Through the generous contributions of members of the pariet of the church of the Holy Cross there was an attractive and lavich dispay of fruit, jolies, and vegetables at the church for the special service held on Thanksgiving Eve by the rector, Rev. Everett P. Smith. It was estimated that 3 bushels of red surha ware used one of special service held on Thanksgiving Eve by the rector, Rev. Everett P. Smith. It was estimated that 3 hushels of red appies were used, one of which was arranged as a pyramid in the font. A bushel and a half of potatoes, a peck of onions, with squashes, carrots, cabbages, &c., not to forget baskets of nuts and raisins, oranges, and tumblers of jellies, made a noveland unusual decoration. The arrangement was done by Mrs. Gertrude Wilhor and Miss Norma Coggeshall and was a credit to their skill. There was special sermon for the day, and the offering was for the relief of the war sufferers, \$3.00 of the sum was given by the children of Belgium. The produce was afterwards sent to St. Mary's Orphanage Previdence. The altar flowers, large yellow chrysanthemums, were distributed among the parish. They were the gift of the rector.

#### FARM PROBLEMS.

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The subject, "Present Day Problems on the Farm," was ably handled by Glenn C. Sevey, editor of the New England Homestead, on Friday evening last, when by invitation of President Philip Caswell, Mr. Sevey spoke before the members of the Aquidneck Dairymen's Association. Under present conditions a farmer needs to know considerable about most everything. Fungus pests, diseases of fruit, vegetables, trees and cattle, and insucts, are to be combated; one must understand chemistry somewhat to know his different soils, and about his fertilizers; automobiles, trucks and tractors, (to say nothing of other modern farm equipments,) soon convince him he say nothing of other modern farm equipments,) soon convince him he needs to know more shout the duties of a mechanic, and in fact he needs to be "an all-around man," Mr. Sevey recommended better legislation, the need of more home-grown products, and community co-operation. He considered the County Farm Bureau as the best present help in solving farm problems. The talk was very helpful, and was interspersed with humorous anecdotes and quotations. A general disdotes and quotations. A general dis-cussion followed, after which there was a business meeting of the Association. There was an attendance of about 65.

The appropriation having been ex-ceeded in the repairs now under way on Paradise avenue near 2d Bench, work is somewhat at a standstill until the Councilcan straightenout the matter at their December meeting. The conce-bridge put in was a heavy expense, The concrete

Mr. Harold Peckham, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Clarence Peckham, who was home for the Thanksgiving holidays, returned Sunday to Amberst College. Mrs. Peckham's broken arm continues to gain slowly. The break having extended into the elbow has caused continued that the elbow has caused continued suffering. tinual suffering.

Rev. Latta Griswold, headmaster at the Trinity Church School for Boys, New York, who soent his Thanks-giving vacation at St. George's School, was the morning preacher Sunday at the Berkeley Memorial Chauel. He re-turned Sunday evening to New York.

The Christmas sales of the Epworth League at the Methodist Episcopal Church on Tuesday, and at the Guild House Weilnesday for the church of the Holy Cross were well attended. Chowder suppers were served both evenings. At Holy Cross Guild House ice cream and cake were on sale the night of the second day. Quantities of night of the second day. Quantities of pine and red berries were used in decorating at the M. E. Church.

Mrs. Joel Peckham, who is at the Newport Hospital has continued to gain favorably and expects soon to be able to return to her home.

The annual Christmas sale and sup-per for the benefit of the Berkeley Memorial Chapel will be held Tuesday at the Berkeley Parish House,

Rev. T. R. Ludlow of Hankow, China, will be the speaker at the December meeting of the Women's Auxiliary to the Hoard of Missions of, the churches of the Holy Cross and St. Mary's, which will be held at St. Mary's Rectory on Wednesday next.

/ The monthly meeting of the Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the M. E. Church will be held at the church parlors next Tuesday. Mrs. Walter P. Buck will conduct a "general executive."—in miniature.

day, committees were appointed for the usual Christmas festival. Contrary the usual Christmas festival. Contrary to the regular custom of having the exercises on Christmas eve, a stereoptican lecture will be given that night which this year fails on Sunday. This will be under the auspices of the Junior Epworth League and will be entitled "Memories of Bethlehem." The Christmas tree entertainment, the nature of which is a secret, will be held on Wednesday quening. December 27th with nesday evening. December 27th, with, the Sunday School Superintendent, Mr., Fred P. Webber, in charge.

Although the price of shoes has ad. ranced 40 per cent, or more, it is not likely that the purchaser will find much increase in the annual cost of shoes, Most neonle will wear their shoes longer -have them patched and half-soled and thereby nearly make up the increased original cost.

Being a True Chronicle of Certain Passages Belween DAVID LARRENCE & ANTOINETTE O'BANNON of the Baille of Tippecanoe in the Indiana Wilderness, and of What Befell Thereofter In Old Corydon and Now First Set Forth T

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CHAPTER VIII.

Fear.

David went back to his dress-stuffs y day and his law books by night with a heavy heart. The days dragged by as slowly as they pass the beds of the sick, feverishly hot, inexplicably hostile; till at last he welcomed the necessity of a journey to repleateh his stock of goods. Colonel Posey had once more postnoved his return to Corydon and had asked David to buy whatever was needed to carry the business. . His supplies were to be ferried across the river from Louisville to Clarksville; and setting off at dawn one morning, he strode all day long through the silent woods. The sun was going down when he left the road, panted to the top of the Bliver hills and flung himself down on the ground. Away to the south stretched the broad and majestic current of the Obio till it passed out of sight among the blue hills of Kentucky; below him, in the lengthening shadows of the evening, rose the siender columns of smoke from the cabin chimneys of Clarksville, a cluster of a dozen or so log farmhouses. Beyoud, across the rushing waters of the Falls, he could distinguish the roofs of Louisville, bright in the sunset light.

He looked his fill upon the broad expanse of the great river-the Beautiful river, as the Indians called Itits:hurrying, tumultuous waters, the diathout ferry, slowly crawling across the green shores beyond—and then scrambled down the steep hillside to the village, where the lkitchen fires sent up their friendly signals. At the inn where he rested that night the tayern keener indicated a described cabin that stood near the river bank.

Thar's the cabin whar Gineral George Rogers Clark used I liveold critter!" "He's not dead, is he?"

"Him dead? Ye kain't kill him with a ax. I seed him yistuday, over yan'
-waving toward Louisville-"pore old the Britishers outer these parts thirty year gone, an' sett thar crost the river withouten' a fo'

David heard him listlessly. goods had arrived and were piled in the tavern lean-to; and as he turned toward the shack to see that they were in readiness for the homeward journey in the morning, he heard his

name called by a girl's voice.

. He wheeled and saw Lydin Cran The girl broke into a laugh al the expression of utter surprise.

"You here, Lydia?" he cried it amazement. "Did you come here from

Corydon? Where's your father?

Why, yes, we've been here for ks. Father's gone to see some weeks. friends at Fort Steuben tonight, bu! he'll be buck soon."

So this was where Cranmer had gone, after that night in the smith; at Corydon. David saw in a flast that upon blusself alone must depend Cranmer's capture. Hiding his exeltement, he pretended to listen to

Lydia with eager pleasure. : She ran on in naive delight at see ing David once more. They were its ing in the cabin nearest the inn, she said: and she begged David to come and talk with her till her father returned. It was late when they heard Cranmer's voice lifted in a rearing ballad and distinguished his portiform moving uncertainly down the path that led to the cabin.

David felt himself grow hot with repuguance as the man drew pearer He had not seen him since that night when he had watched the three conspirators to the swithy.

Cranmer's heavy steps drew near er; he started in surprise when he came on the two figures in the darkness and there was a note of relief In his laughter when he heard David speak.

"Why, it's young Larrence! Sweethearting out here in the dark, you rogues? Well, when your mother was your age, Lydia! . . . ."

David flushed with resentment at the man's courseness, but he gave him a civil good night. He planned to watch the house and confront Cranwhen Lydia was not present.

You won't stay a bit longer? I've been kert overlong with the young Men across the river-they're a set of jolly dogs. You won't stay? Good night, my boy!"

The man was evidently laboring under an excitement not wholly due to wine; David had not taken a dozen steps when he heard Cranmer burst out in an exultant whisper that was louder than he realized:

Well, daughter, my work is done i "Hushl" sald Lydia sharply, and drew him within doors.

David stopped short in his tracks There was not a moment to lose Without doubt, Cranmer had finished this work as a spy and was ready to leave, laden with information that would be of value to the British should war actually be declared What a jolly, ingenuous guest the Kentuckinns must have found him!

He set his jaws firmly together and took a quick step toward the cabin It might not be too late. A thread of light show from the crack of the heavy door.

"Mr. Cranmer!" he called. There was the sound of a chair moved hastily back from a table, and the figure of Cranmer was outlined in the candlelight.

"Welly" he asked suspiciously.

sald David. His voice was without a trace of agitation.

There was a moment's pause. Cranmer peered into the darkness. "Well, if it's no great matter I'll just step outside again."

He closed the door behind him and came forward with hearty friendliness in his voice:

"What can I do for you, my lad?" David breathed a sigh of relief. It was time to come to action.

"I'll trouble you for those plans, Cranmer," he said quietly.

The man recoiled a step and David heard him draw in his breath sharply,



"I'll Trouble You for Those Plane, Cranmer."

But the night hid his expression and he summoned a blustering:

"Plans? What plans? Young man, you choose a strange hour to joke in." "You are well aware this is no joke, Cranmer. I want those plans of Fort

"Fort Steuben! Well, damme, if this isn't impudence! If you've some what to say, say it, and be done with this foolishness."

David took a step forward.

"You know well enough what I mean. I know that you are here as one of England's spies. You have made notes concerning Fort Steuben. want them."

An inarticulate roar of rage burst from Cranmer. His voice shook with suppressed fury.

"So that's what you've been doing, you dirty whelp! Spying on me while you pretended to court my daughter! I'll break you with my two hands, you dog! I'll—"

He choked with rage and hurled his bulk at David. But, with a litheness newborn in the wilderness. David stepped quickly to one side and drove his long right arm full at the Englishman's distorted face. The blow went straight to the jaw, with the momentum of a sinewy body behind it, and the spy went down with a grunt. In a flash David had leaned upon him, pinioning his arms with his knees, while he tore open the man's waist cont and thrust his hand quickly into his pockets. A fat bundle of papers rewarded his search and he rose to his feet with an ejaculation of thankfulness. Cranmer groaned and strove in vain to rise.

"Get up!" said David grimly, "Yout game is done for. One word from me, and you hang at sunrise. But, for your daughter's sake, I'll give you a chance for your life. Get out of Clarksburg tonight and I'll hold these papers. You know where to go -your Indian friends will find a hole for you in the wilderness, doubtless. Goi And may God forgive you!"

He was conscious of no feeling of elation, but only of an unhearable regret that life should be so sordid; and of a sickening sorrow for the poor girl whose father had forced her with him niong this shameful road. When he gained the tavern, he examined the bundle of papers with a heavy heart—damning evidence, sketches of a dozen forts along the frontler, deinfled descriptions of the garrison of each. He folded them up carefully and replaced them in his cost with a sigh. At dawn he set off agoin for

But Cranmer tottered back into his But Cranmer touches and adult the face of s dead man. "It's all up!" he cried the charity whisper. "I must get in a ghastly whisper. away from here tonight. There's only one chance to win yet—you'll have to stay here, my girl; I'll see Scull tonight and set him upon this Lar-rence; and if he succeeds in getting the plans back, you are to bring them on to me at Detroit. God, how came he to suspect! You—did you—no, you're true! Goodby! Do as I bid you. true! Goodby! Scull will be over soonhe'll take care of you. I'm glad you are soon to be married."

He strained the weeping girl to his breast and hurried away. A boat across the foaming fiver and a stumble through the dark brought him to Scull's door. A cautious tattoo summoned the man from his bed and "I have forgotten a matter that the story was told, white terror

scenied to fix its ley hands more and more deeply in Cranmer's throat with Scull looked every hurrying moment. at his white face and exulted secretly at his collapse. A seeming contempt for the man before whom he had so often eringed filled his heart. what do you expect me to do?" he asked coldly,

A flash of his old truculence re-turned to Cranmer. "Do?" he whis-pered hoursely. "There's but one thing for you to do, my pretty man. You will have to get those plans back from that skulking rackaliones. It's your own business how. Then give them to Lydia. You may think you've done a the thing in giving up the work that you came here to do, but I promise you that England has a long arm. You'll not escape if you full us."

Scull shrank again from his menacing gesture. His abject protestations of fulthfulness fell hastily from his trembling lips, and the spy, with a growl of salisfaction, stole out again into the dark and silent night.

At Vincennes, two days later, old "Horschend" Gibson, the lieutenant governor, sat writing a letter to Capt. lilly Hargrove, who was riding intles away in the wilderness at the head of a dozen forest rangers. The old man wrote slowly, with a hand more used to a rifle than a pen. The letter, when he had finished it, ran :

No lind finished it, ran:

Vincennes, Indiana Territory,
July 29, 1811.

For about ten days, a man has been around Fort Steuben who had such good papers of recommendation that he was permitted to go where is pleased and was all through the fort and barracks. He lins disappeared and took with him a very fine studied horse which belonged to Col. Luke Decker, logether with a fine saddle and a pair of heavy pistols in the holsters. It was thought he went toward the Maumee river and may come near some of your stations. There is no doubt he is a Brilish spy and it is very desirable to capture him. A description of him given by those with whom he was is: A heavy man, five feet ten inches in height; would weigh about one hundred and eight pounds; dark halr, black eyes, and he wore a fine velvet vest and a dark blue long-tailed coat, both opnamented with silver buttons. A pair of fine white dressed buckskin knee breeches with silver buttens at his knee; a pair of fine leather shoes with silver buckles; a swiveled hat, made out of beaver skin. Have your men keep a good lookout for him.

Acting Governor.

Hy the hand of a friendly Delaware Indian. Return him in two days with anything that you wish to say.

CHAPTER IX.

CHAPTER LX.

Sacrifice.

The tall young physician from Louisville rode his sorrel mare into Corydon next day and drew rein at Patrica O'Bannon's door.

Toinette, in the early morning sunshine, was rapturous bird-song made woman, a flower dew-bright, a carol, an embodiment of earth's rejoicing. She welcomed Elliott with a smile that made him wonder, with a ready vanity, if he had not been mistaken in the rebuff she had once administered. If he had pressed her more hardily—did she really love Lar-rence? Ah, if he could only drive the man out of Corydon! The black beast of his jealous hatred rade on his back and he went straight to his purpose;

"I have sad news for you, Tolnette." The smile faded from her face and she looked at him with a slow alarm

"It is very hard for me to tell you. It is about Larrence."

"David!" The name was wrung from her like a gasp.

"I cannot believe the truth myself, You remember that I told you once that I suspected Larrence of being in league with the Englishman, Cranmer's I have learned the certain truth since then—Cranmer has fied and Larrence is left to finish his work—the work of a spy!"

"Who says this?"

"Captain Bullitt at Louisville told me. It will be common talk in another day. I do not know what to do. I have not slept all night. Only one thing has been clear to me-my love

"What part has that in this?" she asked proudly.

"Everything. It is because I love you that I have come to you nov you-told me once that I could not hope ever to win you. I tried to turn against the man I feared. But I know now that my love for you li etronger than more desire. you to be happy, even though I suffer And so I have come to tell you first of all. No one here knows that Larrence is in England's service. Let it be known, and his life is forfeited. have come to give you the greates: gift that is in my power. I give you the life of this man. Warn him, and there is yet time for him to escape I shall be happy if you are happy Only remember that I loved you, Tol-

The halting sentences seemed to come from the depths of his soul. He finished and stood before her humbly bis head bowed.

"God bless you," she said very softly.

She spilled the precious ointment of her innocent faith in his words upor the dross of his heart. He raised his head and thanked her mutely, while his pulses leaped with exultation. She had believed him! But would she warn Larrence? He scarcely dared to hope as he whispered:

you will ware him midnight my mare will be at his door But the girl answered in a voice that

seemed to come from beyond the grave, so full of a soul's agony it was "There will be no need . . . 1 shall give him up. . . Oh, David, David, David!"

He turned to hide the mocking smile that lighted up his face. The girl's face had grown pale as

the white rose she held in her hand. But she forced herself to go on--unhesitatingly, but in a voice from which all life had fled, so weighted with unutterable angulsh it was: "You had better inform Judge

"You don't understand, Toinette. I shall not raise a finger against Larrence. He shall never say I am re-

sponsible for his exposure. You alone in Corydon know his secret. It is for

"Go," she suid quietly, "I will do my duty." "Have I done mine, Toinette? Do

you forgive me?" "Yes, you have done well," she an-

swered mechanically. "I may see you again? Oh, Tol-

nelle, let me still hope!" "I cannot answer now. But-" her throat seemed to choke her and she was unable to finish. But through the young doctor's mind there flashed the uellef that he would yet make her his. would forget Lurrence-only let time heal the wound! He raised her hand to his lips, thing himself upon the red mare and was gone.

To Toincite the next minutes were an unreal procession in which a girl Antolnette O'Bannon moved strangely upon her tusk, dry-eyed, stendy-volved. She saw this girl go Jown the lane to the tavern, where lke Blackford sat deep in a book of aw; heard her ask him to go with her lo David's store; saw him bow with inquestioning courtesy; saw them cross the courthouse square and enter he little storeroom, just then empty of customers; saw David advance oward them gravely, with the proud lightly he had worn since the day she and refused his love. She heard a olce speaking-was it her own?

"I have brought Mr. Blackford to ie a witness between us."

The two young men looked at the riel in silent wonder. She swept on n the cold torrent of her resolution. thecking their unspoken question vith uplifted hand:

"We have known you but a little while, Mr. Larrence. You have made four home among us; we have taken fou into our friendship. You have preended to become an American; we mve trusted you, befriended you, beleved in you. And you have repaid is! The coiled snake from which you saved me was less vile! Oh, I do not orget what you did! It is that which nakes what you have done all the nore terrible. I owe you my life. You night have had it, if you had chosen. But you have chosen instead the lives if all these people in the wildernesshese settlers, these men who have iever harmed you, these women, these little children. To betray them, who iave only loved you, who have been four friends! To give them into the unids of England and to the knives

of the Indians!" Her voice broke. At her first words Blackford's face had taken on an exression of amazement, which grew leeper and deeper as he listened and inneed from one to the other of his avo friends. Now, as her voice fal-ered, his astonishment broke out: "Toinette, in heaven's name, what is

he matter?" She answered wearily, listlessly, her roice sinking to a whisper, so that the seemed like an exhausted bird that is scarcely able to skim above

he waves of the sea: "Ho has been here as a British spy !" Blackford started, then laughed inredulously.

Tolnette, you're joking! But she buried her face in her hands and spoke through sobs that shook ier from head to foot.

"Oh, it it were not true! . .

Blackford lurned to David. His triend had taken a step backward at Poincite's first rush of reproach and now leaned against the low counter,



Slowly He Drew Out the Packet of Papers He Had Wrested From Cranmer.

trembling, pale as one who has received a mortal wound. The shock of her accusation coming on the heels of the very moment when he had isked his life to confront Cranmer,

stunned lifm. Only his high, indignant pride rose against the sorry riddle—a stubborn pride which bade him listen to her wild charge in slience, holding himself in his angry-conceit above the violence ef contradicting her, above stoopins to drag their love to the dust of quar-Blackford, striving to pierce beneath the mask of that white, tense face and the inscrutable eyes, cried out in alarm at David's silent accept-

ance of her words.
"It's not true, is it, David? My God, it can't be true!" David was allent.

Blackford tried to laugh off his own "You two are playing some silly joke

on me, of course. All right—I'll own you gulled me. Satisfied, Toinette? Tolnette threw back her head proudly. The blue eyes that had so often danced with morriment were blazing sapphires.

Search him, Mr. Blackford," her voice rang out. "I do not doubt but you will find evidence enough to sat-Isfr you!" lke's eyes looked into those of his

friend with a passion of pleading for denial. But David's voice answered evenly, coldly: There is no need to search. I pre-

sume that these papers are the ones

which Miss O'Bonnon wishes." And with stendy dogers he unfastened his coat and waistcoat, and, while Blackford gazed in horror, slowly drew out the packet of papers he had wrested from Cranmer. them in Ike's hands and bowed to Tot-

nette with a touch of Ironic courtesy, You will flui them all there," he

A single glance made Blackford realize their meaning.
"Oh, David, David!" he cried.

A thousand voices, the confused murmur of a mighty throng, scened

ringing in Toinette's brain, and she fought against a sickening glddiness that made the walls whirl around her. "That is enough, Mr. Blackford?" she asked weakly; and on tottering knees she turned and left the two

men alone. "Surely you can explain this, Davy ?" eried lke; his faith in his friend clung to him in stubborn definee of the documents' mute accusation.

"Do you think it necessary to explain?" said Dayld hersbly. The auger which he had withheld from Tolmette had mounted slowly until now his iron will had reached a white heat of furi-ous resentment. "By God, I explain white heat of furi-

Ike looked him straight in the eyes, "No man on earth can use that tome to me," he said quietly, "-except you, David, old man."
He laid his hand gently on his

friend's shoulder and the augry light in David's eyes was suddenly quenched. "It fan't true," he said, and was si lent once again.

'That's the only explanation you and I need, David," Ike answered with n grave smile; and David crushed his hand in a mighty grip,

"Ike, you understand! You believe he cried in a voice that showed how cruel the strain upon his nervous pride had been; and the two young men smiled straight into each

other's eyes. David had meant to keep his own counsel, but now the borden of his heart flooded over at Ike's trust in him. He told of what he had learned concerning Cranmer; told how he had come into possession of the secre agent's maps and documents. "I had already sent word to Vincennes to search for Cranmer," he said, "and I meant to take these papers there at the first opportunity. How Tolnetto guessed that I had them, I cannot understand. But, by heaven, Bluckford I can't explain to her! Don't you understand? I wanted her love. thought she had given it to me. But if she doubts me, then-

His voice faitered again. "She has worried herself over some rumor-poor Tolnette, sho's strung to the breaking-point," said like gently, want you to do something for me, Ike," replied David, unheeding the excuse. I cannot stay in Corydon after this. I cannot be indebted to Mr.

O'Bannon any longer. I must go. "You know best, Davy. It's not my business. But where?"

Vincennes, I suppose. I may as well stay on there, after I have delivered this evidence to General Gibson. It doesn't make any difference. But I want you to see Mr. O'Bannon and turn my accounts over to him. Will you do this for me, Ike?

"Willingly, Davy. But, oh, I'll bate

to give you up!"
"You're the best friend I ever had. So I shall have to lose you, as I have lost everyone I ever loved." David

smiled bitterly.
"Davy, don't go! You'll win yet! She can't hold to this silly mistake. Why, I'll explain things to her! back, you sore-headed old bear, and-But David checked him.

"I shall never enter that house. And I forbid your speaking to her on this subject. Do not speak of her again. His tone was unyielding, final; and rieving in silent sympathy for his friend's shattered hopes, Ike helped him close up the meager affairs of the

little store and bade him good by. . . . To lke remained no question of David's honor; but the poison of Elliott's words had found an abiding hold in the girl's heart. Toinette had reached her father's house she knew not how. She gained the harbor of her own chamber, closed the door, and sank upon her bed in a paroxysm of grief. She had saved the frontler from the broken her own heart.

David's back was toward Corydor and all his hopes. His face was toward i the north. The trace through the forest stretched away toward Vincennes and he marched along resolutely. There he handed over to the territorini officers the plans that he land taken from Crammer; had from them their blunt thanks, and found employment in the ancient trading house of the Spaniard, Vigo.

(TO Be Continued.)

Patrolling Eight Miles of Fence. To prevent weives, copoles and other wild animals from entering a pasture where experiments in sheep raising were being conducted hunters employed by the forest service were required to patrol eight miles of fence twice a day in the Wallows National

forest, in Oregon.
Two thousand five hundred and sixty acres of choice land were inclosed to conduct experiments with a view to ascertaining whether it was more advantageous to care for sheep in pastures than to herd them on the open range. A corole proof fence eight miles in length inclosed the pasture. It was made of woren wire about four feet high, with two strands of barbed wire across the top.—Popular Science

True Joy of Fishing. To go a fishing is not of necessity to

catch fish, nor is the catching of fish the only pleasure in fishing, else would the totlers and fishing fleets exist in a tery paradise piscalorial. No: the true for of fishing consists, as does all other true joy, in anticipation. The strug gle of the finny victim over and the prey landed, a kind of sorrow pervades the gentle angler.-E. H. Sothern's The Melanchely Tale of 'Me.'

Mark Twain's Prophotic Wish. Astronomy was one of Mark Twain's favorite subjects. Neither of us had any real knowledge of the matter. which made its great facts all the more thrilling. The thought that the nearest fixed star was \$75,040,000,000,000 mf/cs away - meefourth million times the di tance to our own remote sun-gave him a sort of splendld thrill. He would figure out there great mensprements of space, covering sheets of paper with his sue is, but he was not a good mathematician, and the answers were generally wrong. Comets in particular interested him, and one day be

"I came in with Haller's comet in 1835. It is coming again must year, and I expect to go out with it. It will be the greatest disappointment of my life if I don't go out with Halley's comet. He looked so strong and full of color

and vitality one could not believe that his words held a prophecy.—"The Boys' Life of Mark Twain," by Albert Bigelow Paine, in St. Nicholas.

Extinction of the Buffalo. Speaking of the extinction of the buffalo, the director of the New York zoological park said:

"It is by no means true that the extermination of the buffalo is due mostly to the encroachment of human beings on their feeding grounds rather than to their wholesale slaughter. The great bison herds of the plains, from Saskatchewan to Texas, were all of them exterminated by systematic robe hunting, bide hunting in summer, killing for tongues and slaughter for all other excuses imaginable. This occurred long before any of their ranges were wanted by man either for cattle grazing or for agriculture. The legiti-mate industries of man played no part whatever in the extermination of the bison, either west or cast. The slaughter was systematic and deliberate and far in advance of the agriculturist and the stock grower."-New York Times.

Why Spiders Fight.

When two spiders fight there is generally a good reason for the attack and the vigorous defense that follows. It is not generally known that after a certain time spiders become incapable of spinning a web from lack of material. The glutinous excretion from which the slender threads are spun is limited; therefore spiders cannot keep on constructing new snares when the old ones are destroyed. But they can avail themselves of the web producing powers of their younger neighbors, and this they do without scruple. As soon as a spider's web constructing material has become exhaurted and its last web destroyed it sets out in search of another home, and unless it should chance to find one that is tenantless a hattle usually ensues, which ends only with the retreat or death of the invader or defender.

How to Make Use of Vermina In Paris, says a writer in the New York Sun, rats are made to serve a useful commercial purpose. When the nnimals are caught they are put into a deep walled pit and fed vegularly. Once a month there is a general excention, accomplished in a selential manner by means of gas. By that time the rats are short our plump, and their hides are in excellent condition. The hides are removed out tended and eventually are under into "kid" gloves. It has also been found that the skins can be used for beakbinding and in the manufacture of photograph frames.

Inherited Idea.

"How the thancier's little son is enjoying himself in the country!" True to instinct, his amusement is strictly in the financial line."

"How is that?" "Don't you see how he is now planning a run on a bank?"-Baltimore

American.

Scared Him. Tom-I wonder why Harry broke his engagement with Miss Peckem. Jack
-According to my information, her father offered to lend blin money enough to get married on. -Indianapolis Star.

Couldn't Be Much Oftener. He-You only kiss me now when you want money. She-Good gracious. John, isn't that often enough?-Stray

Stories.

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PRACTICAL HEALTH HINT.

Sleep is important. The average healthy adult requires at least eight hours of sleep in the twenty-four to keep in the best condition. Perhaps + that have mininged to get along ton five or six hours for years and

seem to thrive on it. If so you are an exception, for most people would "run down" on that amount of sleep. Everyday workers should make it point to be in bed by 10 o'clock

at least five nights in the week. The bedroom should be quiet and well ventilated. Never permit yourself to "sleep cold." This does not mean, however, that 🕆 you should plie on covers until ; you are weighed down with ; them, as this will only disturb ;

your sleep and make it restless. The bed, if possible, should be ÷ in that part of the room where a draft will not blow over you. A hard mattress is better for health than, a soft one, and a feather bed should not be in any modern home.

History Made While We Wait. "Are you a student of history?"
"I surely am. I'm reading the news paper faithfully every day."-Wash-

Prayer carries us halfway to God fasting brings us to the door of his palace, and almsgiving procures us 1

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### FIRST ADVERTISING

ANCIENT PUBLICITY DEVICES.

The Greeks Used Town Criers and Muelc, and Then Came Symbols and Signboards - The Revolution That Accompanied the Art of Printing.

The Egyptian centleman who scarcht a runaway slave 3,000 years ago and advertised on a bit of papyrus for his recovery toned out the first piece of advertising copy.

Whoever he was, he was a gentus in more than a small way. His copy still lives, preserved in the British museum as an exhibit of considerable archaeological importance and as an example of what our advertising experts of today would do if they, like the Egyp-tlan, did not have the benefit of up to date information,

The Egyptians knew nothing about the topography of advertising nor the effect of different colors. He didn't know, for instance, that red is the most effective eye catching color and that green is second and black third.

Of these and a thousand other things that influence the character of present day advertisements he was totally in ignorance. But he gets full credit for making the first attempt at a written advertisement.

The Greeks, with a fine regard for art, usually made music a part of the advertising program. They gave us the idea of employing bands to attract attention, undoubtedly one of the most successful methods of drawing a crowd at any ulnce and time

At first a town erier, accompanied by a musician playing a lyre or a barp, mingled among the Greek peoples and used only the best and choicest Greek in his extravagant proises of the product he was exploiting. Later, however, private advertisements in writing began to be introduced, particularly on the whitened walls of the homes, giving some information regarding the social standing and the age of the residents, their timmeial ratagrand the unlift higgs c.
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wo, so the contained their strong, advertised shows exhibitions and sales on the terra cotta walks of public buths, negrainted the public with sales of estates and absconded debtors and Rumans of articles lost and found and houses for sale or rent.

The Romans are combonly credited with the origin of the sign board. Today we have the bulletin board, which corresponds to the Roman tabella found in the rules of Pompell and Herculaneum, where public announcements were made.

Advertising met the same fate as the Romans did when the Huns came sweeping down from the north. Until the middle ages very little of it is seen. But with the appearance again of the town crier, supplied with the customery long winded declarations and a choice supply of adjectives, advertising began to make itself feit in the conduct of business affairs. The public criers began to organize them-selves both in France and in England. and they were persons with considerable prestige.

From crying out the superior quali-ties of merchandise and all kinds of goods and wares the orier soon began to make announcement of things lost and found, of sales, weddings, christenings and other interesting events.

Gradually as time went on inns began to use distinctive signs and symbols to mark their hostelries, just as individuals had employed coats of arms. All kinds of devices were used and are still used by inus to the present day. All such signs as the blue anchor, the black dragon, the three tuns, the boar's head, the red lion, and so on, made definite representations

and implications, Of course with the development of the printing press advertising took a great spurt. The use of posters came into vogue, and all kinds of pamphlets ere printed and distributed. gradually began to supersede the bandwritten manuscript. William Caxton set up his press in Westminster abbey in 1471, and two centuries later, in 1022, a newspaper, believed to be the first real newspaper, was printed. It was called the Weekly News and purported to contain news of doings Germany, France, Hungary and Bohe

From then on newspapers, mostly weekly publications, began to appear from time to time in increasing numbers. Advertisements of medicines be can to be faserted in the newspapers t an early date. The insertion of the first real newspaper advertisements. however, is credited to Nathaulel Butler, who advertised books.

The first two magazines to carry advertisements were Goder's Lady Book and Peterson's, but it was not until 1864 that magazine advertising really began, and it was not until 1880 that a general use was made of magazines for advertising purposes. - Philadelthia Press.

Literal Promise. "Uncle Bill promises me a rousing

time on his farm."

"He'll give you a rousing time, don't fear. It will be somewhere about 5 in the morning."-Baltlmore American.

Fame can never make us its down contentedly on a deathbed.—Pope,

Lena Lillicade, accused by Gladys Martel, 17, of luring her to a Boston hotel and compassing her downfall. was sentenced at Lawrence, Mass.. to six months in prison.

William M. Cooper of Suffield, Conn., a judge of the probate court, was fined \$100 at Sprinefield, Mass... for operating an automobile while under the influence of Monor.

Our Early Presidents.
The roads leading to the homes of our early Virginia presidents were filled with admirers, who arrived, accordtog to the custom of the south, by coach and charlot, bringing their horses and their servants and staying zome-times for days to cumber the stables and empty the larder. Washington, one of the richest Americans of his generation, escaped bankruptcy, having the fortune to die within three years of laying down the presidency. The others all suffered. Jefferson paid the penalty of fame by being literally caten out of house and home, and his blographer's idyllic statement that "no hard work was done at Monticello" scarcely tallies with the assertion of his daughter that she and her house hold servants were sometimes called upon to provide beds for fifty people. Monroe said of his visitors that "some were bountles and some were taxes."

On the whole he thought that there

were enough of the former to offset the latter, but, in his opinion, pensions for former presidents were a necessity,

since under our republican plan they

could not shut their doors and refuse hospitality to this sentimental bords without discredit to the country.-Hel-

en Nicolay in Century Magazine.

More Than Gratuitous.

Apropos of the custom of some hostesses to lavite professional artists to their homes in the expectation that they will amuse their guests free of charge, a story is told of hime. Berthe Bady, the famous Parisian artist, who was invited to a social gathering and asked by the hostess to recite. She consented, and then, in order that there might be no mistake about the matter, the hostess subl-

"How kind it is of you to work for

us in this friendly manner!".

The emphasis on the word "friendly" was so marked as to show clearly enough that the service was to be gratuitious. After the recitation was over Mine. Bady took a silver card tray from a foolman, and, imitating the musiians in the cafes chantants, she made a tour of the drawing room and colected whatever contributions were offered, and they were substantial ones. Then she handed them to her hostess and left the house.

Sardinia's Great Festival. Each "pease" or village of Sardinia has its annual festival to celebrate the birthday of its own particular salut or some other church feast. The most renowned of these is the "festa" of St. Etisio, the purlicular least of the island. The ceremony is in the form of a procession from Cagliari, the chief city, to Pula a village nine miles away, with the return to Cagliari. The spirit was an official in the army of Diocle tian and for his conversion to Chris tianity was beheaded at Pula.

At midday of May 1 the procession leaves and returns on the evening of May 4. It is composed of a cavalcade of horsemen, all in the costume of the ancient Sardinian militia, escorting the image of the saint, which is preceded by musicians playing the launcidas, an instrument made of three or four reeds of different lengths and resembling the pipe of ancient times.-Na tional Geographic Magazine.

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PRACTICAL HEALTH HINT.

Diet For Diabeles. A Kansus City dector advises de a diet of raw starch for diabetic de patients. He places them on raw starch and water only for from one to four days, until they have burned all the sugar out of their systems.

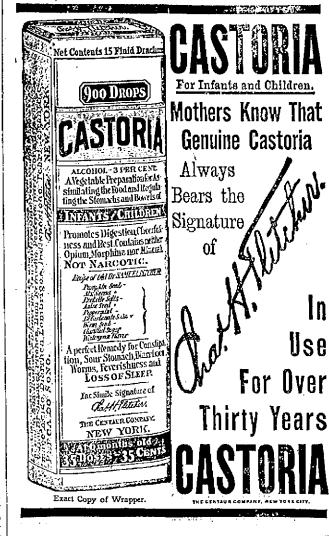
The statch is given in the form of cornstarch, a rounding teaspoonful stirred into a glass of & water three or four times a day. Or he lets them eat raw notatoes with a little salt. A daily sponge bath and rubdown is the only other treatment.

As soon as no more sugar can be detected be allows the patient + to eat lettuce or celery with a + little salt and a soft builed egg. + After a while meat and other veg-etables are added to the diet. All sugar and cooked starch are bar- + red until the patient has been 4 sugar free for several months. 💠 when a little toast or bread is al. 💠 Jowed. If the sugar returns the -patient is put back on the raw starch and water for a day or -

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### The Mercury.

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The election on Tuesday shows that the American man is very uncertain when he gets in a voting booth.

There are still no signs of an early glosing of the European war. Germany seems to be more than holding her own against the allies.

Mayor Arbley of New Bedford con go Mayor Boyle of Newport several points better. The New Bedford Mayor has just been elected for the eighteenth

Senator elect Gerry says that he pent \$2920 to get elected. This does apent \$2920 to get elected. not take into account what others spent for him, which seconding to reports mounts up to large figures.

The tipplers in Fall River will have a hard time this coming year in getting their favorite beverage. A few years ago when that city went dry before, all they had to do was just step over the line into Tiverton and they could get all they wanted. This year Tiverton has gone dry too. The indications are that the drought will be intense.

It is to be hoped that sometime in the dim and far away future Newport will have a morning mail. As it is now it is ten o'clock and later when the mail from the outside world is ready for distribution. In the days of old things were better. There was a time in the memory of the oldest inhabitant when the mail was distributed by S a. m.

Next week Thursday will occur the hearing before the Interstate Commerce Commission on the separation of the sound line steamers from the New Haven management. The government seems to be pushing this matter with a determination to divorce the two lines. The people most interested are all in favor of the continuance of the present arrangement, but the desires of the people seem to have little weight with the powers that be.

A telegraphic despatch says Wilson jeads in Tennessee by \$7,230. They might just as well have made it a hundred thousand. Some years ago a Republican was elected Governor of that State by over twenty thousand majority but when the returning board got hold of the ballots they counted him out and declared his Democratic opponent elected by about the same majority. Elections in the states once in rebellion against the Government are a farce.

The City Council of Providence seems to be getting very liberal with the people's money judging by the wholesale increase of salaries Monday night. The Mayor's salary was increased from \$5000 to \$5000. The judge of the municipal court had his salary raised from 20000 to \$4000. Chairman Tax Assessors from \$8500 to \$4000; City Auditor from \$4500 to \$5000. Nearly all the other city officials, with the exception of the city treasurer were raised in like proportion.

Sension Penrose will press the messare in the cusning session of Congress larger railroad costs resulting from the providing for Federal supervision of national elections, so that southern negroes can vote. Wooder what good he thinks he can accomplish in that direction with a Democratic Congress and a Democratic President that have no use for a colored man. If the negroes could note in the South and have their rotes bonestly counted there would be no President Wilson, nor a Democratic

Our Democratic friends claim that the women elected President Wilson and they point to the fact that of the eleven trans-Mississippi states in which women have full suffrage, Mr. Wilson carried Wroming, Colorado, Utah, Idaho, Washington, Arizona, Kansas, Nevada, Montana and California. Mr. Hughes carried Oregon only.

Every one of these States was in former times a solid Republican states So it would look on the surface that the above claim was correct.

The German U-boats go on sinking vessels of neutral nations without warning and then the Kaiser placidly declares that the U-boat captain made a mistake in supposing that the vessel was an armed transport or something of that kind. He tells the offended nation, generally the United States, that the captain has been reprimanded and that is the end of it. Said captain proceeds to make the same "mistake" at the next opportunity and President Wilson indites another "strict accountability" letter.

Several bills have been already introduced in Congress to smend the Constitotion so as to elect the President and Yice President by the direct vote of the people and do away with the electoral college. Until some measures are adopted compelling honest elections in the South, and until all classes of citizens are allowed to vote in these states. we trust such an amendment will not be agreed to by the northern states. The South could elect a President every time on the popular vote as now controlled. All the majority Wilson received came

#### A Paor Outlook.

The Massachusetts Electrics, of which the Newport Street Railway is a part, have declined in value to a very low clib, and the future outlook seems to be somewhat dubious. According to a Boston paper the preferred stock is now selling at 28 which is one half what it was a year ago. The notes of the company of which there are some three multions out, are selling around 85.

The paper goes on to state: While it is obvious that as things stand today Massachusetts Electric preferred is definitely off the dividend list for several years to come, the transition to its present position is rather abrupt even for those who appreciate how many impossible conditions have confronted the traction industry of Massachusetts.

The pathetic part of the Massachusetts Electric situation is that the preferred represents \$100 per share of real assets, but earning power has practically disappeared, at least for the

The company has recently concluded a wage agreement with its men covering the next 3½ years. This labor question is settled for that time. But it involves a very considerable amount of money and has left the preferred in a position where it is difficult to figure out much more than I per cent, being carned for that issue.

Protective iffect of the War,

The extent to which the British Bleckade is performing for us the function of a tariff proxy is well exemplified in the importation of hosiery and knit goods. Ordinarily our greatest competitor for the domestic market in these goods is Germany. The Germans were having a high old time in our market just before the war broke out, and our importations of hosiery and knit goods nearly doubled during the first nine months of 1914, compared with the same period in 1913. But during the nine months ended September last our imports of these articles drapped to the insignificant amount of \$682,000, from \$4,600,000 during the 1914 period, \$454,-000 worth getting in from Germany. A recent report from the U.S. Consul at Chemnitz, where the bulk of these goods are made up informs us that the German cotton knit goods industries are not harmed in the least. They will be running at a capacity of 100 per cent. plus when the war is over and if we do not return to protection the American knit goods industries will receive a jolt from which it will take years to re-

#### The President's Message.

The President read his message to Congress on Tuesday. It possessed one good quality; it was brief. It was written in the good language of which His Excellency is the master. It contsined not much that is new or in portant. It urged Congress to do some things that can hardly be accomplished in the short session, and the probability is that the 64th Congress will adjourn on March Swithout doing more than pass: the big appropriation bills now planning. The four principal recommendations in the message are for the enlargement of the Interstate Commerce Commission; the approval by Congress of an inquiry by the Interstate Commerce Commission into the necessity of an increase in freight rates to offset the wage increase; an amendment of existing Pederal law to make strikes or lockouts unlawful previous to a full public investigation of disputes between emplayers and employes, and the grant to the President of authority, in case of military necessity, to take control of railroads and rolling stock for military Purroses.

### Long Reigns,

Emperor Francis Joseph of Austria, rears old at time of his death. He ascended throne at the age of 19 years, making his active reign & years. This is longest reign in recorded history. Tradition says Pharaoh reigned years and there is more credible instance of Rameses II. Sesostris of the Greeks, whose reign is reputed to have covered 67 years. Louis XIV of France was nominally king 72 years, but actually occupied throne little more than 5) years. Queen Victoria of England ruled 64 years.

Fire liners left New York for Europe Saturday with 2000 passengers and 55,-000 tens of cargo, including every kind of merchandise from aeroplanes and armored motor trucks to cases of canned salmon. It does not look as though the German submarines had driven all commerce from the seas.

The new battleships to be constructed for the United States government, will, secording to experts, be practically torpede proof. Tests have shown that it will require ten torpedoes of the type now in use to destroy one of the new battleships, whereas two are sufficient to sink the present battleships.

Vincent Astor's real estate holdings are being increased by nearly \$5,000,-000 through turning over to him of New York City property released by her remarriage from trust in which it had been held for Mrs. Madeline Force Astor now Mrs. Dick.

Thomas Campbell, Republican, was from the South, and that majority is elected governor of Arizona at the renot the beginning of what those States | cent election by a plurality of 32 votes would do if there was need of more ma- over Governor Hunt. This has been an election by small majorities.

### Next Campaign Already Begon.

(Correspondence of the Mereury.)

Washington, Dec. 6. Vance McCormick, Chairman of the Democratic National Committee, announces that he is already laying plans for the campaign for Congress two years hence. Mr. McCormick is not alone in this determination. The Republican Congressional Committee is a continuous body, with permanent handquarters and a stoff in this city, and is always on the job. The Schatorial Campaign Committee, which came into existence with the compalgn of 1916, Is another Republican organization whose functions do not cease with election day, and it, too, will maintain its activtties. The next campaign has already

begon.

The impotency of the President as a vote-getter for others than biniself has now had two demonstrations. In 1914, the cry "Stand by the President" did not prevent the galaing by Republicans of a majority of the State delegations in Congress; and if It had not been for the iniquitius system of Southern representation, that body would have been strongly Republican. This year, on the plea that "the kept us out of war", the President gained a stender lead in the electoral vote while the lower house of Congress apparently passed into the hands of the Republicans, who were almost uniformly successful with their State tickets all through the Norththe Southern situation again working to

amost animal successful with their state tickets all through the North—the Southern situation again working to the advantage of the Democrats.

In 1918 the President's own fortunes and personality will not be in Issue. That compaign will turn upon a wider survey of the Democratic administration's work than loss yet been had, and the value of the policies which the President espouses or which will be thrust upon him—especially by organized labor—may then be passed upon. Republicans, generally speaking, have no misgivings about 1918—orabout 1920, either—for they regard the reverses of this year as due to causes which can and which will be remedied.

An Appropriate Story.

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Judge Hook's Instanter decision that the Adamson law is unconstitutional recalls the story of Tom Reed's admission to the bar, which took place in California just after the Civil War. The examiner asked him one question: "Is the legal tender act constitutional"? Reed replied instantly, "Yes". To his amazement the examiner said: "Young man, anyone who can answer a gravo constitutional question like that in so short a time for reflection is surely entitled to practice law in the courts of California. You are admitted."

Gredit to Patker.

#### Credit to Parker.

The result of the election turned upon so slebder a margin that my one of a number of causes may be assigned for it. The President evidently thinks that it. The President evidently times that John M. Parker, camidate for Vice President on the headless Progressive ticket, had something to do with it. At any rate, Mr. Wilson has written to Mr. Parker to tell of his appreciation of the course which the Bull Moose leader followed, -J. W. S.

The simultaneous advertising of the \$50,000,000 Russian toan and the \$5,-000,000 Chinese loan which the newspapers have lately been carrying furnishes one striking argument in refutation of the "kept us out of war" slogan. So long as foreign nations, whether at war or in peace, look to us for food, for materials and for money they will not permit us to get into war under any eireumstance.

Time has come for union labor to seek a seven-hour workday, in the opinion of John P. White, the international president of the United Mine Workers of America. How long will it be before they will demand a six-hour day? Getting that what will the unions domand next? It would seem as though there must sometime be a limit to the demands of organized labor.

One noted economist says that "industrial classes are full of indignation that the farmers should be obtaining such inordinate prices for what they have produced". Well, we do not know of any law that prohibits some of these industrial workers in the cities from engaging in farming. But we would remind them that the eight-hourday has no place on the farm.

They might as well accept the inevitable and close up altogether. The time is coming when all the cities will go dry. The no license vote in that State is increasing every year.

The treasury deficit has passed the hundred million dollar mark. As soon as the administration can find some plausible excuse that will serve to cloud the real reason, there will be an issue of

### Election of Officers.

Lawton-Warren Post, No. 5, G. A. R.

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Patrotte Instructor—John T. De and.
Ontre Guard—George C. Shaw.
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Chernates-George B. Smith, George C.

Show.
Trustees - William S. Balley, J. Te. I.
Greene, Andrew K. McMahon.
Relief Committee-William S. Battey, William S. Slocum, Frank P. Gomes.
Andling Committee-William S. Slocum,
Etwin H. Tuley, John B. Macob.
Floance Committee-William S. Slocum,
Frank P. Gomes, John T. Velano.

Earley Held Without Ball Nashua, N. H., Dec. 7.-Bernard Earley pleaded not guilty to a charge of having murdered his wife when arraisned in the local court. Mrs. Rarley was found in her room with her throat cut by a razor which lay her side. Farley was held with-

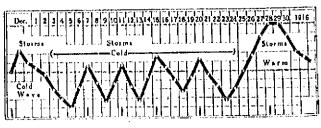
Lallian Polishwook, 3, was run ovec and killed at Posten by an Ice wagon. Frank Long, 60, out of work and despondent, took paris green at

out hall for a further hearing.

Bridgeton, Me., and died.

Mr. and Mrs. Winfred Carter are re-

#### WEATHER BULLETIN.



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December temperatures and precipitation will average about normal. First and last weeks will be cooler than usual, middle two weeks warmer than usual, Cold waves near December 5 and 27, warm waves near the 11th and 20th. Most ain and most severe storms during the weeks centering on December 8 and 28.

Troble line represents seasonable normal temperatures, the heavy black line the predicted departures from normal. The black line tending upward indicates rising temperature and downward indicates falling temperature. Where the heavy temperature line goes above normal indications are for warmer, and below control than usual. The Indicates when storm waves will cross meridian 93, moving eastward. Count one or two days later for east of meridian 90, and one to three days earlier for west of it. Warm waves will be about a day earlier and cool waves a day later.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 9, 1916.
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Last bulletin gave forecasts of dis inbances to cruss continent Dec. 9 to 12 and 13 to 17; warm waves Dec. 8 to 12 and 12 to 16; cool waves 11 to 16 and 16 to 19. While the storms of December are not expected to be dangerous those of December 12 to 15 are expected to be of greater than usual dore; temperatures will average low during that period and precipitation will be greatest of the month.

Next warm wave will reach Vancouver about Dec. 17 and temperatures will rise on all the Pacific slope; it will cross summit of Rockies by close of 18, plains sections 19, merdian 90, great lakes and Ohio valleys 20, eastern sections 21, reaching Newfoundland about Dec. 22. Storm wave will follow about one day behind storm wave, and cool wave about one day tchind storm wave.

This storm is expected to be rather

but there can be no excuse for such an act in time of peace. Contain its at war and the case is different there.

Rob our farmers of their rights! Oh, no! If the labor elements and other consumers want to find the cause of high living, other than might be expected as a result of the great European war effort to bring an another downfail of the human race, they only used pry into the methods of the great speculators. They not the price of wheat down to one dollar when the conditions of the 1916 crops were all as well known as they are now. Then they put the price of wheat an to two dollars without the shadow of a cause. We protest at both extremes, told the farmers not to sell when market prices were too low and then told them to sell when prices were too high. Find the half dozen big speculators who control and manipulate the crop and office market news and you will hit the real cause of higher prices of living but don't do a worse thing by preventing the sale of our products to other countries.

During January most producers will determine their methods for the crop senson of 1917. The American people, all over this continent, are rapidity being convinced that these cropweather forecasts are vasity better than gnessing and many will take them as their guide in planting and sowing for 1917 crops. Those who fail to do so for the coming cropscason will lose to a greater extent than usual because the crops of 1917 will be unusual. wave.

This storm is expected to be rather quiet; not much rain nor snow; temperatures about normal; but the cool wave passing meridian 90 uear Dec. 23 will go lower than the average of cool waves. A great rise in temperature will follow that cool wave and a warm wave of higher than usual temperatures will cross the continent.

This is not a favorable time to speculate in grain or cotton and it is a doubtful policy for farmers to hold their crops when they are already very high. The proposal that the U. S. government slop the shipment of products to other countries is very foolish, to say the least of it. If we were at war with some great country it might be advisa-

#### PORTSMOUTH

(From our regular Correspondental

Mr. and Mrs. Newton Holland have been spending the week in New York. During their absence Miss Esther Gif-During their absence Miss Esther G ford has been caring for their home.

Rev. Walter P. Buck of Middletown preached at the Methodist i Episcopal church Sunday morning. Rev. John Lowden, the pastor, is improving and hopes to be able to conduct the services next Sunday.

Mrs. William C. Dennis and her granddaughter, Miss Elsie Spooner, have been guests of Mrs. Marion Olivea of Newport.

Miss Doris Gibson is visiting friends in New York.

The Christmas sale and entertainment at St. Paul's Guild House on Saturday was well attended. These who took part in the entertainment were Miss Nellie Sinclair, Miss Lilian Wheeler, Miss Edna Malone, Misa Louise Chase and Miss Ruth Wilkie, Mrs. Herbert Ashley, Mrs. William Lawrence, Mrs. Walter B. Chase, Mrs. Charles Holman and Miss Ruth Brinkman.

Mr. Rutherford Elliott, who has been spending several days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Ediott, has re-turned to Bridgeport, Conn.

Mrs. Caroline Paquin Jameson, who has been visiting in West Bridgewater, Mass., has returned to her home.

Frances and Irving Kelsey, students at Moses Brown School, Providence, have been visiting their parents, Rev. and Mrs. Edward A. Kelsey, at the Friends' Parsonage, Rev. and Mrs. Kelsey have had as guests Miss Alice Hutchinson of Readville, Maine, and William Penn Macomber of Amesbury,

The liquor dealers in the Massachuserts cities have a hard time of it. License one year and no license the next.

Cense one year and no license the next.

CHAPTER ELECTION.

The annual meeting and election of officers of Aquidneck Chapter, Royal Arch Masons, No. 9 followed by the installation, was held in Eureka Hall with a large attendance. The following officers were chosent—High Priest—Joseph R. Slinn.
King—John H. Burrows.
Scribe—Charles E. Thomas.
Trassurer—Henry C. Anthony. CHAPTER ELECTION.

Scribe—Charles E. Thomas. Treasurer—Henry C. Anthony. Secretary - William B. Anthony. Chaplain - Renry L. Davol. Captain of the Host—Frank J. Thom

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erson. Royal Arch Caprain-Herbert B. Master of the Third Veil-Alfred C.

Hall.
Master of the Second Veil -Frank W. Wheeler.
Master of the First Veil-Walter B.

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Right Excellent Grand King Wilbur A. Scott of Providence, with Grand Captain of the Host Arthur G. Newall of Pawtucket as assistant, conducted the installation. The retiring high priest, Henry L. Davol, was presented with a Past High Priest's Jewel by Right Excellent Grand King Wilbur A. Scott. At the conclusion of the exercises a chicken aslad super was served. Mr. William H. Randall of Riverside ore, without it. Randall of Riverside is guest of his brother, Perry G. Randall.

Miss Elsie Brown of Slocum, R. I., is visiting relatives here.

Miss Edith Munroe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan Monroe, and James Riley, both of this fown, were married last week at the Methodist Parsonage, Rev. John F. Lowden performing the ceremony. The wedding was a quiet one.

Mr. Stanley Mott of Providence been visiting his parents. Mr. and Mrs. Alfred J. Mott.

### FOR BUSY READERS Happenings in Various Parts of

NEWS CONDENSED

# New England

Barah H. Lyon, a widow, died at Merblen, Conn., In her 100th year. The United States fisherles steamer Haleyen was humthed at Boothbay.

Josfah Q. Bennett, 62, president of many lurge companies, died at Cambridge, Mass.

Haroht harding, 9, of Augusta, Me., was drowned in the Kennebec tiver while skoting.

The Evening Call-Reporter, a 1cont Weonsneket, R. I., newspaper, advanced its price to 2 cents a copy.

The N-1, the latest type of submatine built for the United States gov. ornment, was tannehed at Bridgeport, Conn.

Herman Banker, a conductor emplayed by the Boston Elevated Railway company, committed suicide by umphyxiation.

Governor-elect Milliken of Mains appointed Lester M. G. M. Hart, a Portland Press reporter, as secretary to the governor.

Charles II. Whipple, 81, a carriage manufacturer, dropped dead of heart disease at Danvers, Mass., while talking at a telelipono. The Rhode Island board of agri-

culture Issued an order prohibiting the importation of cattle into the state except by permission. The deer season opened in southern New Hampshire and will remain

open for the next two weeks. There are prospects of a large kill this year. Esther Reischgott, 15, of New Haven, while blowing up a toy balloon.

took a long breath, sucked the balloon down her throat and choked to death. Dolegates to the convention of the Allied Textile Workers of Maine, voted to present to mill owners a re-

quest for a 10 percent increase in WARCS. Despondent over failing health. John H. Couners committed suicide at

Wattham, Mass., by shooting. He was found dying by his wife and four Some of the guests of the St. Croix holel, Calals, Me., were forced out of doors in their night clothing when

ceiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter,

Mrs. William K. Boyd and Mrs. William T. H. Sowle have returned from a visit to New York and Jersey City.

Mr. Frank Dodge of Barrington and Miss Gladys Russell of Brockton, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Daniels, have returned to their homes,

PORTSMOUTH CEMETERY CORPORATION

all, Treasurer- Frank C. Cory, Secretary- William F, Brayton, Trustee for 3 Years- Rowland S.

Rev. Everett P. Smith, Mrs. Smith and Miss Mary Manchester attended the reception at St. Mary's Orphanage at East Providence on Tuesday.

Mrs. William A. Chase of Anthony Road had an ill turn on Friday and was seriously ill, being unconscious for sev-eral days. She is now improving, hav-ing regained consciousness, and is able to take nourishment. Mrs. Samuel A. Carter is caring for her.

The Ladies Benevelent Society held a chicken stew supper and Christmas sale in the vestry of the Methodist Episcopal church.

The Ladies Aid Society held their annual Christmas sale with a chowder supper in the vestry of the Christian church on Thursday evening.

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fire damaged the hotel to the extent of \$10,000. Mrs. Katherine Finn of Holyoke. Mass., attempted to kill herself and 20-months-old buby by gas asphyxiation. The buby is dead, but Mrs

Finn may recover. Nicholas S. C. Conway, 56, a comedian known on the stage as "Laughing Casey," diod of heart fail-The annual meeting of the Portsmouth Cemetery Corporation was held at the home of Mr. William F. Brayton. The reports of the several officers were read and approved and the officers were elected for the coming year as follows: President—Sylvaous P. Fish.

Vice President—Leander W. Coggos-ball ure at Waterlown, Conn., while walking with his wife.

The wife and daughter of Eugene C. Johnson committed suicide at Brattlebero, Vt., by inhaling gas. Mrs. Johnson was 60 years of ago and

her daughter, Vivian, 28. Henry T. Murphy, 33, was instantly killed, a little girl was critically injured and three others were slightly hurt, when their automobile overturned at Reboboth, Mass.

John Haines, \$7, who for more than seventy years was continuously omployed by the Boston Manufacturing company in its Waltham, Mass ... mills, died at his home in that city. James Scollay, 65, of Gardner.

Mass., who had been acting strangely, drank the contents of a bottle of chloroform liniment while under guard of a policeman, and died of the effects. As a result of the strike of Boston

shoe repairmen, they now have shorter hours and a substantial increase in pay. As a result the job of whole soling and beeling a pair of shoes now costs \$2.25. The records to date show that 882 deer were shot in Massachusells

during th against \$105 during 1915. Of the number killed 535 were bucks and 297 were does. Hunting claimed two victims at Mtleboro, Mass., a 17-year-old boy and a 10-year-old girl, both of whom were

Laccidentally shot and almost instant: killed. The victims were George Bresk and Viola Jewett. Lincoln W. Parsons, 46, a 652611 man, discharged a shotgun into he

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killed and William Slater, 45. \*\*\* dangerously injured when a stagefrom which the men were paintlecollapsed and threw them to the ground at Watertown, Mass.

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### GERMAN DRIVE IN'ROUMANIA

Resulted in Capture of 100,000 Prisonars by Teutons

### CAUSES GLOOM IN LONDON

King Ferdinand and Government Prepared to Flee to Foreign Soil, While Forsaken Army Oashes Toward Last Loophole-Paris Grieves Over News of Great Teutonic Victory

London, Dec. 8 .-- Since the hostfilties against Roumania began 199,000 Reumanians have been brought to German prison tamps, according to a Copenhagen dispatch, quoting the Horlin Anzeiger.

The paper attributes to German milliary authorities the belief that the Roomanlans inlend to withdraw into Moldavia, abandoning the whole of Wallachia. By this stop they would have only a 100-mile front to defend.

The Lokal Anzelger reports that prior to its capture Sucharest was nearly described and the city was uninjured.

The Russo-Roumanian armies to central Roumania are retreating along their entife front, the German was office announced. Kimpina, at the northern terminus

of the Bucharest-Pleeshij railroad, has been captured by the Austro-Germans. The Oerman allies that occupied

Sucharest emplored 105 officers and \$100 Resulan and Roumanian sol-

The Roumanian forces, what remalus of the army that 100 days ago took up arms with the allies, is to-day apparently in a trap from which there scome to be little chance of escape. This was the war news which oxused gloom in England today,

The most dramatic speciacle of the whole war is now stayed in Roumania. Trapped on all sides, with flucharest, the capital, in the invaders' hands, its king and government in reluge on the border, prepared to fies to foreign soil, its country's rich resources feading its pursuers, the forsaken Romanian army is wildly dashing toward the last loophole.

And even there, on the opposite bank of the Danube, lurks von Mackensen's Dobrudja army, ready to cross the river the moment its prospective prey has approached close enough--if he deems it vital to "bag" the Roumanians himself.

The news of the fall of Bucharest was received in Paris with sorrow and mortification, although it had been regarded as inevitable since the battle of the Argecha was lost.

All of the newspapers say that the event must be a lesson to the allies which ought to spur them on to more rapid and energetic action, and above all to the organized and effective use of their common resources.

On the other fronts the Germans have made a few minor gains.

The Greek situation, though somewhat eclipsed by the developments in Roumania, is serious, and unoffi-cial reports assert that the entente bas demanded an explanation of Greek military activity.

### BRITAIN'S NEXT PREMIER

King George Calls Upon Lloyd George to Form New Cabinet

London, Dec. 7.—David Lloyd George has overthrown the Asquith cabinet and will become prime minlater thinself. The new government will be coalition, like the old one, but probably without the same meaaare of harmonious support which attended the formation of the first coalition government, because its birth has created additional factional differences.

The result has emerged from another day of active and hurrled perty conferences and a day of intense suasense and interest throughout the country.

Newspapers Raise Price

Pictsburg, Dec. 5.-Ail Pittsburg's evening papers and three morning papers have gone on a flat 2-cent haais. There will be no reduction of the week, nor will advertisers and others who have been receiving free topies any longer be thus favored

Therek and Wife Indicted Boston, Dec. 7.—Two indictments were returned by the federal grand jury against Edward Therek, the Na-Shawmut bank messenger. Charging him with embezzing \$1,927,80 in cash and bonds valued at \$12,000.

Warmen to Rum Oregon Town CmatHa, Ore., Dec. 7.-Mrs. E. Starcher was elected mayor of Umatilla, having defeated her busband in the election. Women also when elected to all other offices to the municipal government.

What Campaign Cost Women Nashington, Dec. 7.-The Nation-

u Women's party spent \$50.035.17 turing the campaign. Contributions toruled \$51,220, leaving a balance of ittle more than \$190).

Minister Van Dyke Resigns a Hagge, Dec. 5 .- Henry Van United States minister to The Terlands, has resigned.

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### NO LICENSE WINS FOUR MORE CITIES

No Shifts to Wet Golumn in the Bay State

Boston, Doc. 6.-- A sweeping ylotory for the no-Breasa farces in Massachusetts was recorded yesterday when four of the cities holding electable of the aid more bettle snot Column. They are Fall Birer, Haver-Mil. Taunton and L≠ominster.

The license advocates were not successful in effecting any changes, and in every city except Gloncester the fluction take was reduced, and in most asia substantfally,

Now Pelford kept in the wet colplurality of 2239 a year ago to 196. New Pestorit voters chose Charles S. Ashbay for mayor for the eighteenth

#### DEATH OF ARCHBOLD

Head of Standard Oll Falls to Rally From a Surgical Operation

Tarrytown, N. Y., Dec. 6.-A noted figure in the world's petroleum industry was removed when John D. Archbold, capitalist, president of the Standard Oll company of Now Jersoy, and officer or director in various other enterprises, died at kome here after a two weeks' llinese subsequent to an operation for appendicitia.

With Archbold at the end were Mrs. Archbold and thoir children, John F. Archbold, Mrs. Michael M. Van Bouren and Mrs. Armar Baun-

Arcidedd was one of the least known and most eleterasons of Wall street's blg men. From the days when he went out as chore boy to the neighbors in the village of Balem, O., until the days when he salled to work down the Rudson on his own yacht, Archiveld kept his ambitions strictly to himself. He was born in 1848.

#### BURNED AT THE STAKE

Alleged Outrage Upon an American by Villa Followers

El Paso, Tex. Dec. 8.-- Covernment agents sent a reject to Wash-Inglon, saying an American named Foster had been mulliated and then burned at the stoke by Villa bandits operating near Torreon. The report was said to have been brought by refugees coming to the border from

These refugees reported also that they had seen sixty Carranza soldters hear Torreon whose cars had been cut off by Villa bandits. Foster's son was forced to witness his father's execution, the refugees said.

Other reforees say that Howard Gray, an American mining man at Parral, Chihnahua, was killed by bandits when they entered the town A messenger from Parral sald Gray was hanged by order of Villa.

Eleven Dominicans Killed Washington, Dec. 6. - Eleven Americans were wounded in the light at Masoria, fiominican republic, between the American forces and natives who resisted occupation by the Americana. Eleven Dominicans were killed and six wounded.

Strike of Warship Builders New York, Dec. 7.—Three hundred workmen engaged in the building of the new battleship New Mexico in the Brooklyn navy yard are on strike because of a demand for higher wages not baving been granted.

Moyer Warden of Sing Sing

Albany, Dec. 7.—The appointment of William H. Moyer, warden of the federal penitentlary at Atlanta, as warden of ding Sing prison, was announced by State Superintendent of Prisons Carter.

Temperature Fifty Below Zero Eeward, Alaska, Dec. 8.—Train crews on the United States railway reported the temperature at one point where three mountain valleys meet

at 50 degrees below zero. Ray E. Chadtourne, 29, engaged in Maine newspaper work, committed suicide at Hailowell, Me., by hang-

A \$100,000 trust fund for Harvard university is provided for in the will of Frederick W. Kimtail of Cheirea,

John B. Philtidean of Invell, a freight brakeman, was struck and killed by an express train at Ulinton. Mass.

Injuries received while being electad from a bootblacking stand at Poscon cansed the death of Thomas J.

Miss Lotta M. Crabtree, wealthy retired actress of Boston, was injured in an automobile collision at Montoπese, Coca.

Bayard Thayer, 52, prominent Bos-ton clubman, died suddenly of heart disease at his country home at Lancaster, Mass. Mrs. Agles S. Hoar, 15, a wifew. died at Pawticket, R. I., from in-

haling Municipling gas, it is believed through accident. Boston's demest submay, compacting Campridge with all the business centres and railroad terminals of Bos-

ten, was opened. Dr. James H. O'Brien died at Portland, Me., from injuries received र्पप्रेशक अब ३ संस्कारियों के बिन की देते हैं है बन्दर reduct turned turner.

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### SMALL DENIES SLAYING WIFE

Former Broker Pleads Not Guilly When Arraigned

TRIAL IS SET FOR DEC. 26

Five Counts in Indictment Charging First Degree Murder of Woman Whose Body Was Found in Ruine After Their Coltage Had Been Destroyed by Fire at Lake Ossipee

Ossipee, N. H., Dec. 8,--Frederick L. Small, further Haston broker, Indicted by the Carroll county grand jury on a charge of first degree murder of his wife, Florence, was taken to court late yesterday afternoon, where he pleaded "not guilty" before Judge Kivel. He will be tried

Small was calm when he entered his plea. His attorneys, Mutthews, Stevens and Abbott, set the date which was agreed upon by the judge and attorneys for the state.

Small was indicted on five counts. strangulation which caused death, shooting with the right hand, shooting with the left hand, strangulation and shooting and inurderous assault. He is held without buil.

No change of venue was asked by Small's coursel, and he will be tried in the Ossilves courthouse, three miles from the scene of the murder.

Small, in his corner call in the Ussipee jall, which is connected to the poorhouse by a "bridge of sight," and visible from the new courthouse where the grand jury sat in assaton, broke down and wept bilterly when told that he had been indicted. The trial promises to be sensational.

Shortly after Small had ploaded to the indictment Matthows asked the court for permission to examine the exhibits in the case held by the prosecution, including the report on Mrs. Binall's stomach and the report of the autopsy made by Medical Examiner Magrath of Boston.

This permission was granted by Kivel with the understanding that such examination was to be made in the presence of Hheriff Chandler and County Solicitor Hill, after twenty four hours notice had been given by the defense.

After a consultation between the attorneys for the defense and presecution it was agreed to allow Matthows to examine the exhibits intoin the day, which was done.

Small was in Buston at the time of the fire, having left here the afternoon before, but the state charges he killed his wife and that he tried to blde the crime by setting fire to the house with an incendiary device of some sort which would start the blaze after his departure.

The grand jury heard about thirty witnesses. Mrs. Hmall's hody when found was smeared with resin; there was a cord knotted about her neck; there was a bullet in her head, and her scalp was unshed and cut.

The cord, the bullet, the resin, a revolver, found in the ruins, and other objects, formed a grim array of exhibits before the jury which conaldered the caso.

### ATTENDANTS BLAMED

Judge Thinks Them Responsible For Insanc Patient's Death

Boston, Dec. 7.-Frank Hale, Wesley R. Linton and Thomas Mc-Grath, attendants at Medfield state hospital, are held responsible for the death of Camillo Strazzolio of Boston, aged 35, a patient at the hospital, in an inquest report filed at Dedham by Judge Halloran.

Halloran finds that the three sttendants choked and heat Strazzullo so that seven of his ribs were broken , and his skull was fractured.

The three attendants were priested on manslaughter charges after Strazzullo's dearb. They are now in Dedham fall for lack of ball, awaiting grand jury action.

Three New Senators Seated

Washington, Dec. 6.—By a vote of 44 to 32 the senate refused to delay seating of the three new senators— Kirby of Arkansas, Watson of In-diana and Fernald of Maine. They were sworn in and took their scats.

Half Million Seek Citizenship Washington, Dec. 8.--Approxi-mately 590,600 foreigners took stops to become naturalized American citizens during the year ended in June, according to the annual report of the bureau of maturalization.

Jail Turned Into Laundry Centralia, Mo., Dec. 8.-For the first time in farty-five years Contralia is without a fail. Arrests were few and the city council has leased the fail to a firm for a steem laundry.

Big Bond Isaue For Farmers Washington, Dec. 8.—The federal farm loan banks will declare a \$100,-669,069 bond fraue aboutly after the new hanks open their doors for hustness, probably during February,

Foreign Loan at Low Mark New York, Dec. 4.—The Anglo-French loan sold at 93% on the stock exchange, establishing a new low

France Buys Tug Paul Jones New London, Conn., Doc. 5.-The ocean going tog Paul Jones of the Thomas Towhoat comany has been streased by the French government, The trice paid is understood to have been more than \$259,000. It has a net toursare of 545, a crew of pineteen, and can carry enough coal for & francationife trin-

### MUST NOT BE AT MERCY OF LABOR

President Seeks Power to Prevent Transportation Paralysis

Washington, Dec. 6.-President Wilson, in his message to congress, repeated his request that legislation be passed providing that, in case the methods of settling strikes now provided for should fall, a full public investigation of the merits of every such dispute shall be instituted and completed before a strike or lockout may lawfully be uttempted.

He further asks the national legislature to give the president the power, in case of military necessity, to take control of road and rolling stock and to operate them, with anthority to deaft fato the unlittery service such crows and administrative officials as may be required for their safe and efficient use.

The enlargement of the interstate

commerce commission also is again proposed.

Authorization of combines for the purpose of seizing the opportunity to increase American exports is advocated, and also the passage of bills amending the present organic law of Porto Rico, and one proposing systematic regulation of the expenditure money in elections, commonly called the corrupt practices act.

#### ARABIA WAS TRANSPORT

Claim of Germany In Note "Explaining" Sinking of Vessel

Washington, Dec. 8 .- Cermany set up the contention that the steamer Arable was a troop transport and admitted she had sunk it under that tra-Inquiries, made public by the state do-

At the same time tiermany agreed to "promptly draw appropriate consoquences" if the United States showed the vessel was an ordinary passonger liner rather than a transport.

The state department has said privately all along that the Arable was the main case on which future tierman-American rolations would probably depend.

It was pointed out that Germany emphasized the fact that her com-mander was still under orders to fellow interestional law, as demanded by the United States in the Sussex

It was learned from official sources that this government views the Dorman "explanation" as weak. While it has no facts to disprove Germany's contention that Asiatic soldier workmen were aboard the Arabia, it does know that women and children were there and that the passenger list so showed before the vessel salled.

### TERRED FIVE DEAD, ONE DYING

Train Crashes Into Auto In Which Men Are Returning From Work Willimantic, Conn., Dec. 8.—Five men were hurted to almost instant death, and a sixth is dying as the result of a collision between un auto-

mobile in which they were riding and a passenger train last evening. All the victims of the crush were mechanics employed by a contracting firm of this city and wore returning to their homes.

The dead are Harry St. Plerre, A. B. Chosen, Preston Osterbaut, A. B. Swanson and Fred Royall. The dying man is W. D. Lason.

The men had just quit work for the day and had accepted an invitation to ride in the automobile, which was owned and driven by Onterhaut.

Neither the engineer nor any of the men had any warning as to the catastrophe until the automobile was diractly on the track and the train but a few feet away. When the crash came the men were harled from the car and their bodies sent flying juto the river which paralleled the rall-road or at the side of the track. The auto was smushed to aplintors, the front half being thrown on one side of the train and the cour on the other

While repairing a chimney at Boxion Andrew J. Boynton, 75, was killed when he fell from a ladder.

### LITTLE PIMPLES ON FACE, NECK

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### OLD SHIP CARVERS

Their Occupation Gone, Theirs Is Now a Lost Art.

FIGUREHEADS OUT OF DATE.

These Famous Old Fanciful Figures Elaborately Fashlened In Wood, Find No Place in the Decorative Scheme of a Modern Windjammer.

White there is a revival of wooden shipbuilding in Maine, giving employment to the carpenter, rigger and sall maker, there is not on the whole length of the coast any job for the carverthe sculptor in wood who used to make the figureheads. That is an occupation now entirely gene, for the figurehead is out of date and its carving a lest art

One of the most famous of the ship carvers was the late William L. Seavey of Bangor, who fashioned figure heads for the lest square algers that ever left Maine. He learned his trade in a Bangor shippard when the banks of the Penobscot bristled with new vessel frames, plied his cleaver, chiseland couge through all the years of America's greatest maritime glory, witnessed the decline of our ocean commerce and lived to see his occupation entirely gone.

For forty years or more did Scavey carve angels and cherubs, kings and queens, mermaids and dolphins, statesmen and warriors, not to mention an occasional iton and numerous cagles, for the adornment of "down east" vessels, for every craft of any considerable size carried a figurehead, some sort of ornament under the bowspill being regarded as necessary to complete her outsit. But now all that is gone. Owners can see no sense in spending money on such gewgaws as a blue eyed and white robol queen wearing a rellow crown. When they build a vessel now-square riggers are no longer thought of—they whittle her off for-ward to a billet head and let her go at that. Maybe a gilt scrollwork tops her stem, but nothing more.

Thus it is that Bengor knows the wood sculptor no more, the sole reminder of Seavey's art being a broken and faded specimen of his work, once carried by a big ship, but for many year's mounted as a sign over his shop door in Exchange street. In the days of her youth this statuesque lady, whittled and obiseled from a pine log. had golden trimmings on her Greeian robes and in one dainty hand held aloft a golden goblet. Now she is weather worn and grimy, and the goblet hand is gone, but she is the most striking memorial of Scavey, all his other painted beauties being scattered to the seven seas under foreign days or gone to the port of dead ships.
One of the finest figureheads in its

day was that of the clipper ship West-ern Belle. It was the full sized figure of a woman, with her left, arm outstretched, carrying a few spears of wheat. Her right hand gathered the folds of her skirs, the drapery of which, considering that the material was wood, was admirably executed.

From the general outline no less than from the careless curl lying along the breast it is suspected that the carver had worked in marble or was a natural genius. His name was Sampson. He neglected to cut his first name on his masterpleces. He lived and tolled in Bath, the home of American shipbuilding, where the Western Belle was built in 1878.

His handlwork was carried by Bath built ships to the most remote parts of the world, and it is related that a south sea Island chief was so impressed with the Yankee carver's skill that he sent him a commission by a friend-.ly skipper to make a set of idols to the theological needs of the chief's heathen subjects.

The Western Belle is spending the evening of her days as a coal barge. but the lady who graced her prow was retired from the sea and now occupies a place in a garden. One of her peculiarities was a detachable arm, the one in which she held the wheat. During voyages it was unscrewed so that the seas might not break it, being replaced when the ship was about to make a port. This was not known in the more elaborate of the old wooden figure-heads, especially of men-of-war, where

danger of shattering was greatest.

Some figureheads were filmstrative of the vessel's name, others were whims of the owners or the captains and still others symbolic of events occurring at the time the vessels were built. The schooner War Eagle, for instance, was built in wartime, and she had for her agurehead a ficree looking eagle, perched on a heap of cannon balls and with arrows clasped in its talons. The War Eagle was desiroyed some years ago at Boston by an explosion of naphtha in her cargo. schooner American Eagle was decorated with a corgeous bird of freedom. and the brig American Union was liberally ornamented, stern and bow. with symbols of this nation.

The old steamer Expender had a figure of John Marshall holding the constitution outspread, and the steamer Daniel Webster carried on either paddle box a medaliten head of the great orator, while in her saloon was hung a life sized portrait of him, presented by the citizens of Boston.—Iles ton Olobe.

Great men begin enterprises because they think them great and fools berause they think them easy.-Yourenargies.

Easy.

About the ensiest thing in the world is to make splendid plans for the investment of the money one has not jet succeeded in getting .- Chicago

The opinions most apt to do us good

#### LINCOLN UNDER FIRE.

A Salute That Might Have Carried

Death in its Train. In "Reminiscences of a Wartime Statesman and Diplomat," by Frederick W. Seward, is the story of a visit to a French fricate, "I think the Car-sendi," on which the author accompanied Mr. Lincoln early in 1861. The visit over the party was leaving the frigate and the parting salute was about to be fired.

"As Mr. Lincoln took his seat in the stern he said: Suppose we row around her bows. I should like to look at her build and rig from that direction.' Captain Dahlgren, of course, shifted his helm accordingly. The French officers doubtless had not heard or understood the president's remark and supposed we were pulling off astern in the ordi-

We had hardly reached her bow when on looking up I saw the officer of the deck pacing the bridge, watch in hand and counting off the seconds -'un, doux, trols'- and then immediately followed the thish and deafening rout cannon apparently just over our heads. Another followed, then mother and another in rapid succession. We were enveloped in smoke and literally 'under tire' from the frigate's broadside. Cap tain Daldgren sprang to his feet, his face athone with indignation as ho shouted: 'Pull like the ---, lays! Pull

They obeyed with a will, and a few sturily strokes took us out of danger. After he had resumed his sent and calmed down I said in a low voice, 'Of course those guns were not shotted, and we were below their range?"

"He answered, gritting his teeth, 'Yes but to think of exposing the president to the danger of having his head taken of by a wad!

"I did not know until he explained that the wadding blown to pieces by the explosion sometimes commences dropping fragments soon after leaving the gun. Whether Mr. Lincoln realized the danger or not I never knew. He sat impossively through it and made no reference to it afterward."

#### LIBELED THE KING.

Then He Turned Informer and Won a Substantial Reward.

A colonel in the Prusslan army, who had been discharged at the close of the Seven Years' war, importuned Frederick the Great to be rejustated. Weary of the incessant solicitations of his troublesome visitor, Frederick at length pave orders that he should never be admitted to his presence. Some weeks later a most bitter libel against his majesty appeared. Freder-ick schlom gave himself any concern about such attacks, but the present one exasperated him so much that he offered a reward of 50 friedrichs of gold for the discovery of the author. The day following the disgraced colonel demanded and obtained an audience

"Sire," he began, on being admitted, byour majesty has just promised 50 friedrichs for the discovery of the auto claim that recompense. Behold in me the unfortunate libeler! My life I forfeit freely, but remember your royal pledge, and while you punish me, send to my poor wife and children the re ward due to the informer."

The king, although struck with the sad extremity and self sacrifice of the officer, said sternly: "Go instantly to the fortress of Span-

day and there await my judgment!" "I obey," said the culprit. "But the money Y

"Within two bours your wife shall receive it." said the king. "Take this letter and give it to the commandant. but he must not open it until after din-

The colonel arrived at Spandau and gave bluself up as a prisoner. At the prescribed moment the commandant erened the royal mandate. It ran:

To the bearer I give the command of Spandau. The present governor is to take the command of Berlin as a reward for past services. FREDERICK.

Musical Bruises.

"That's a peculiar tooking bruise you have on the back of your neck." ob-

"Yes," said the patient. "I am subject to those. You see, I'm a clarinet player in an orchestra." "I don't see how that can produce

bruises on the back of your neck." "It doesn't produce them exactly, but it places me in a position where I am rery liable to get them."

"How is that?" "I sit directly in front of the man who plays the slide trombone. -New-

The Soft Answer. A certain politician seeking office was very much incensed at certain remarks which had been made about him by the hading paper of the town. He burst into the editorial room like a innamite bomb and exclaimed:

"You are telling lies about me in tour paper, and you know it!

"You have no cause for complaint." sald the editor coolly. "What in the world would you do if we told the 'ruth about you?"—New York Globe.

Too Exacting.

Larcy-Don't you just adore Clarence Joyce? My, I think he's the handsomest thing! Mabel - Well, his nose is a little flat, and his hair pretty light. and his eyes are a triffe big and pale. and his eyebrows- Lucy-Oh, I knew, You always expect a man to be a regular Venus!-New York Times.

Mr. Woggs-Somebody wrote to the editor to ask how to est corn off the cob. Mrs. Weggs-What does the editor say? Mr. Weggs-He says, silently.-Somerville (Mass.) Journal.

There Were Others.

Redd-You say he ran into debt when he got his car? Greene-Yes; that was the first thing he ran into.

> Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S

Penalties For Mest Eating. A most remarkable regulation affecting the feed assertion It Comes in Alternate Periods of Filling

ing the food supply was one which atspeare's youth and which, in view of the early familiarity with the slaughter house-there are seventeen refercuces to the butcher's trade in the historical plays-must have been brought torical plays—must and occur mouse particularly to his notice. This was the law, that cenceted in 1649 and ex-tended in 1563, enforcing abstinence from deah for political and economic reasons, not only in Lent and on Ember days, Vigils and Fridays, but also on Saturdays and even on Wednesdays. The object almed at in this legislation was the strengthening of the British pary through the encourage ment of the fisheries, the North sea fisheries being regarded as a gold mine which the Dutch were exploiting. In 1503 four women who had a meal of meat in a London tavern during Lent were set in the stocks all night, and the woman who suffique only memow only in the nillery.

Wild Cotton.

A common plant which grows in a score of shapes and sizes is the milk-It is called milkweed from the milky Julee contained in the stems. Some bear white blossoms, others ourple, while the stems and leaves have a variety of sizes and shapes. After the blossoms disappear the plants bear reed pods, which are the "langurs" for tho air scouls.

Each seed has a set of wings of airy lint. As the pods then and break open the wind lifts the light seeds and scatters them broadcast.

Nature came very near making a substitute for cotton when she produced milkweed. In fact, the plant is known sometimes as "wild cotton." But the lint in the seed pods has not the twist of cotton fiber and therefore cannot be used for spinning. Nevertheless it provides a satisfactory down for stuffing pillows, a uso to which froquently it is applied .- Boston Journal.

An Artist's Joke. Holman Hunt, who began life as a clerk to an auctioneer and estate agent, was constantly drawing portraits when he should have been drawing up leases, and in his chosen profession he was never slow to seize the flying moment. The windows in his room were made of ground glass, and as he had little to do he spent much of his time in drawing dies upon its roughened surface. A blot of ink sufficed for the body and some delicate pencil strokes for the wings, and at a distance the deception was perfect. Day by day the number increased, and one merning his employer came in, stopped before the window and exclaimed: "I can't make out how it is. Every day that I come into this room there seem to be more and more files." And, taking out his handkerebief, he attempted to brush them away.

New Zealand's Glaciers.

The great size of the glaciers around Mount Cook, in New Zealand, has been often remarked. The Tanman is eighteen miles long, the Murchison ten miles, the Godley eight miles, the Musiler eight miles and the Hooker seven Most of these gladlers bave moraines of exceeding roughness; but the approaches to them are not steep, as is usually the case with European glaciers. The southern Alpino snow line is only a little over 7,000 feet. Glacially polished rocks are rare, and in many ways the mountains are singularly different from those of central

His Practice.

The footpad fired at you four times from a distance of twenty feet and yet missed you?"

"Oh, no!" replied the hero of the adrenture. "I missed him. I have dodged so many automobiles and motorcycles that I had no difficulty in dodging the bullets."-Kansas City Star.

Missing Then.

Father-Don't know the French for cat, and you had a French nurse for years! Hopeful-But, dad, we hadn't got a cat when Adele was with us -London Punch.

Gems of Answers. Among the gems of history answers on examination papers are the follow-

ing:
The courage of the Turks is explained by the fact that a man with more than one wife is more willing to face death than if he had only one.

"Julius Caesar was murdered at the moving picture house."

"When the last French ritack at Waterioo proved a failure Napoleon turned very pale and rode at full gallop to St. Helena."

Among "howlers" on general subjects were the following:
"Ambiguity means telling the truth

when you don't mean to." The flanpolette peril means petti-

coat government." "Much butter is imported from Denmark, because Danish cows have greater enterprise and superior technical education to ours."-London Globe.

Antiquity of the Dog.
It is impossible to say when dogs

were first domesticated, but some of the earliest traced are found on Egyptian monuments, with figures of dogs. somewhat of the greyhound type. which date back to at least 3500 B. C. Even in those remote days the dog was highly esteemed. Coming down a little later, we read that Ulysses 3,000 years ago was recognized by his dog Argus fier his swineherd had failed to do so. Plutarch speaks of Alcibades, who cut off the tail of his dog, and Myron. the sculptor, immortalized the animal by chiseling his image in marble. The Romans valued their dogs and kept them for the chase and also as pets. Mexander the Great owned a veteran fit to tackle a lion.

Turnkey Harry S. Lyman, known to thousands of persons who visit the Massachusetts state prison, retired from active service after thirty-five

GROWTH OF THE BODY.

and Stretching. That men and women grow in height and weight from birth until maturity, If they live the ordinary term of years, and that, as a rule, men are taller than women are facts of common knowledge. How this growth is ac-complished to not so generally known, nor is it commonly understood that the difference in length of the mule and femule of the species is apparent even at birth. Carefully kept records show that the average boy buby is about two-fifths of an inch longer at birth

than is the average bally girl.

Another curious feature of this growth discovered by patient research is the fact that it is not a gradual and regular increase. There are periods in which the youthful body expands rapfdly in length, while it seems to become thin and lean.

Then comes a time where there is little increase in height, but the body becomes plump. While there is a slight difference of opinion as to the exact number of years and ages when these alternate growths are in ortdonce, the ceneral proposition is conceded by the most thorough of the lavestigators.

Professor Stratz tabulates this growth of the budy as follows; Period of the first fullness of body, two to five years; period of first stretching, six to eight years; period of second fullness, nine to eleven years; period of second stretching, twelve to sixteen years; poriod of maturing, seventeen to twentytive years.

Professor Weissenberg, however, dlvides the time of growth somewhat differently and makes allowance for a difference between the periods of change in girls and boys.

His tabulation is as follows: Period of first fuliness, two to four years: period of first stretching, five to six years: period of retarded growth, boys eight to twelve years, girls eight to ten years; period of second stretching, boys thirteen to eighteen rears, girls cleven to fifteen years; periods of retarded growth, boys nincteen to twen-ty-six years, girls sixteen to nincteen years; period of standing still and of the second fullness, (wenty-six or twenty-nine to fifty-one years; period of decline, fifty-two to seventy-six

Among other interesting features of this growth, it is noted that the changes are not constant within the limits of a year, but appear to depend upon the season. It has been found that Increases in

height and girth of chest are greater in

that the greatest gains in weight are made from August to January, the weight remaining almost constant from February to May.

Of course there are many special causes which in individual cases make

summer than in winter. It would seem

exceptions to these rules, but under normal conditions this is the way our bodies grow from ushrhood to maturity.- New York American. A Lament From Japan.

The opening of Japan has brought many new trades, but it has driven

others out of existence. One handi-craft which is making a long but a losing fight is that of making fude or writing brushes. It might have been expected to increase, seeing that education is ten times as prevalent as in the old days, but the steel pen and the lead penell are formidable competitors and, with their rulgar efficiency, are gradually making the use of fude obsolete. In the primary schools young Japan is taught to wield the brush, but in the middle schools they care but little for the elegance of the Chinese style of writing, and the modern steel pen is much in evidence.- Japan Society Bulletin.

Commodores In Our Navy.

Previous to ISE2 the courtesy title of commodore was given to all captains in the United States navy who had commanded a squadron, but no actual rank higher than that of captain ex-In July, 1862, the first captabis to hold a higher office were commisstoned as commodores. In 1882 the number of commodores on the active list was reduced from twenty-five to ten, and in 1800 the grade was abolished, and the ten commodores on the list promoted to the rank of rear admiral, the members in that grade being increased from six to eighteen.

Samething Wrong

"There was a steep embankment on my right and a high wall on my left." explained the bandaged motorist. "Around a curve sweet a lide touring car full of intexicated joy riders. I was between SeyLa and Charybells."

"illald on." Interrupted the Interest-rd listener. "You fell the Just new you were ca the read between Perkinsville and Jackson's Gap when this accident happened,"-Speking Beview.

Business.

Lawyer-If I bring a suit against your husband I'll be able to get about a third of his income as alimony for you. Prospective Divorcee-Umph! [ can do better than that myself. For years I've been getting nearly all his ralary out of him.--Lamb.

Religious. "Is he a religious man?" ".oz ssong I

"Does he go to church?"

"I don't think he ever goes himself, but he never kicks on his wife going when she wants to."-Detroit Free

Advice is not disliked because it is advice, but because so few people know how to give it.—Leigh Hunt.

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Dawn and the Darkest Hour.

"The darkest hour is just before dawn," is an old English proverb which dawn," is an old language prover to when expresses more poetently the houselfer adages, "When things are at their worst they somest mend," "When gale is highest bout is nighest," "The longest day will have an end," "After a storm comes a calm," and fluds an equivalent in other languages, as in Passanh, "By alta of reduc wrang all. French, "By dist of going wrong all will come right;" in Italian, "Ill is the ore of well;" in Persian, "It is at the narrowest part of the defile that the valley begins to open," and in Hebrow, "When the tale of bricks is doubled Moses comes."

That the nights, as a rule, are dark est just before dawn is doubliess true, for the moon has then reached far on to the western horizon, while the sun La still below the castern horizon.

Sound Waves.

Science says that the loudness of sounds varies inversely as the square of the distance. This is merely another way of saying that if you walk three times as far away from the source of the sound as you were before its loudness will not be a third what it was, but a ninth of what it was, for vine is the square of three.

On the other hand, the density of the medium which conveys sound is very important. On a frosty night the air is dense. One consequence of this is that an automobile runs better because the engine gets larger supplies of oxygen. Another result is that sounds are heard more loudly. However, the report of a gun high up in the mountains is like the sound of an exploded threerneker.

Father of English Postry

The first English bard to attain lasting fame was Geoffrey Chaucer, who was born in London about 1340. "The father of English poetry" was the cer and in his youth served the king as a soldier and was taken prisoner by the French. The English king publi \$50 for his ransom, which was quite a high price for a poet. Chaucer's most celebrated work. The Canterbury Tales," was written between 1373 and 1400. It consists of a series of talesupposed to have been told by a com pany of pligrims to the shrine of St Thomas a Becket at Canterbury, and in its pages we get such pictures of English life and ways of thought as are found nowhere else.

Brevity.

Robert Louis Stevenson was a close student of style and has left more than one interesting discussion of the technique of writing. In a letter to R. A. M. Stevenson, dated October, 1883, he says:

There is but one art-to omit! Oh, if I knew how to omit I would ask no other knowledge! A man who knew how to omit would make an 'lliad' of a daily paper."

When Pressing Silk.

Always press silk under a piece of muslin to prevent the silk from becoming hard and crackly. First dampon the musiin and use a moderately hot fron till the muslin is quite dry.

Forgetful.

"Is Bronson as forgetful as ever?" "More so. Why, that fellow has to look himself up in the directory every night before he goes home from business. Forgets his address."

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PRACTICAL HEALTH HINT.

Headaches.

In these modern times a headache is just as necessary and o useful as a fire alarm. It is a C warning that something is wrong o and that somebody had better o get on the job instanter and o alter conditions. What is the commonest cause

o of headache? There are a bundred or more different causes. Overfatigue, not enough sleep, sleeping in a stuffy room, over eating or eating something that disagrees with the stomach, some slight eye defect, an Infection or congestion of the massl passage o caused by cold—any of these o and many more things bring on o headaches. Chronic inflamma-o tion within the nose itself and also within the bony cavities of 0 o the skull which open into the nose will cause intense head- o aches at times. Persistent head- o aches are danger algusts that o warn you to consult a physician. 0

Retort Mulicious Miss Ryval (triumphantly)--1 sup

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pose Jack never told you be once propreve to the Jack's Flancec-No teld me there were a sumber of things In his life he was selemed of, but I didn't ask him what they were.- live ton Transcript.

Haitl's Grotesque Army. When the late Progletent Laconto of

Halil set about to reduce the size of his army a few years ago many of the generals whom he mustered out of the service were put to breaking rock on the street. At one time there were more officers than men in the Haltian trmy, according to apparently authentic statements. In former times the pay of a Maltina soldier was small at best, nothing at worst and at all times insufficient to keep the warrior fed decently. The days for loading coffee on departing ships were great days in Halti. They were days when the army got a square meal, thanks to the stoyedore wages which the men were able to carn, says the National Geographic Magazine. The army officers of Haiti were as fond of gold lace as a mountaln girl of bright colors. Small wonder, then, that the regalia of a field marshal was everywhere in evidence. Feeding the Haitlan armies in the days before the American "big brother" movement was not a difficult job. Garrison rations consisted of a sugar constock two or three feet long and whatever else the soldler could beg, borrow

Rocking Chairs.

Rocking chairs are an American institution, although they are to be found today pretty much all over the civilized world. In England they are invariably referred to as "American rockers," and laded this application is not conflued to that country. Here and there on the continent you will hear of them in the same category. Authorities are widely at variance as to the time and place of the very first rocker. But that the first one was turned out more than 200 years ago there is little room for doubt. fair to assume that it was the invention of a Now Englander who loved his ease. He probably invented it to offset the discomforts of the severely straight backed chairs of our early colouist days .-- Exchange.

Roumanian Peasant Diversions. "Many hands make light work" is a proverb of the Roumanian persant ofton put into practice. Almost every often but into practice. Almost every night there is a neighborhood gather-ing like the old rashloned apple cut-ling or apple butter boiling in early American rural history. The houses have their turns at these parties, and there is always a kettle of corument much and baked pumpkin and pota-toes and popeorn ready for the occasion. All bands join in the evening program of combing, carding and spinning the household supply of wool or dax, while the neighborhood gossip passes current among the elders and accasional words of love or children jest among the more youthful memhers of the party.-National Geographle Magazine.

Donkeye Are Haiti's Food Trains.
Nearly all the produce for the feeding of the population of Port au
Prince, Haiti, a city of some 60,000
people, is brought to on the backs of
donkeys. The public squares are converted into open air market places, and here the buying and selling goes on from early morning until 4 or 5 o'clock in the afternoon, when the caravans begin their tollsome journey bonieward. "Situated in a region famous for its fine fish, among them the delectable and plentiful "red snapper," the Haltinus cat quantities of sait cod imported from Massachusetts waters. And the quality of this imported staple is such as would not find favor in American markets. — National Geographic Magazine.

First "Outsiders."
Until the nomination of Franklin

Pierce for the presidency of the United States the word "outsider" known. The committee on credentials came in to make its report and could not get into the hall because of the crowd of people who were not members of the convention. The chairman of the convention asked if the chairman of the committee was ready to report, and the chairman answered, "Yes, Mr. Chairman, but the committee is unable to get inside on account of the crowd and the pressure of the outsiders." The newspaper reporters took up the word and used it.

Pilloried.

stand for & good many lokes."

"A drug store is sometimes facetiously alluded to as a pillory."
"About right, too," said the druggist. "Keeps you penned up most of the time."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Reassuring.

Irate Gentleman (to his gardener-What do you mean, sir, by telling re-ple in the village that I'm a stary master? Gardener-No fear o' Es a-doin' the likes o' that, guy'nor. allus keeps my thoughts to myself. London Punch.

Transmutation.

"Do you think you can turn the baser metals into gold?" "Undoubtedly—if you can Fuess which way the steel market is roing"

-Washington Star.

Stella—When you are engaged you tell him that he must economize. Be-1

And after you are married be tell you that you must.-Puck.

Finished.

"Jack got through college in the

"What of it? I got through in one." -Harverd Lampoon.

It is better to find excuses for coast than for ourselves. Henry W. Curtis was arrested an a charge of murdering Mania 21.

honey, a fellow-inmate in the Na-tional Soldiers' home at Teges, Ms. by placing polson in his whisty A grike of rubber workers at and

Bristol, R. L., factories of the Martinest India Rubber company and Narraponed Rubber rompan and when the plants were recter-

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Harvie A. Davis, 21, was held at Portland, Me., unable to furnish bail of \$1900, charged with passing forget checks to the amount of \$500.

A weak heart that was affected by ether administered before a totth was Talled caused the death of George W. Parker, 20, of Swampscott, Mass.

Pictims of the drug habit in Poston Fig have been out of from the re-137 of the narcotics are flocking to

the city hospital for free treatment. Septem Gallant, 60, was held at harmford. Me., on the charge of the

Times of Joseph Leonard, whose 2741435 tody was found in a lumber 2.30. Thesenso Mangnanti was arraigned

at Freehoon, Nass., charged with Pariet not guilty, and was beld in

e effet Seaman, 35, tried to com-The several acteries in his wrists this method falled be hance?

and abblirent ranging from \$ 10 11 -7 17 age, are motherless as the the death from soughtage of Partiente Peralis, 38, et Mais-Let Tire.

### AVERTED A TRAGEDY.

A Perilous Situation and the Way It Was Mastered.

There is a striking illustration in Das Buch for Alle of the fact that it Is not accessary to roun over the world to find adventure. The German merchant of the story found it in his own peaceful house in the quiet town of bla blith. It happened on his daughter's wedding day, about sixty years ugo. The happy father was afternately welcoming the guests and instling

About altending to final details.

In one of the halls be met a maid carelessly carrying a lighted candle without its holder. He did not rebuke her, as she was not one of the regular servants, but had only been brought in to help for the occasion. In a short time she returned from the cellar, her arms full of bottles, but with no cau-The absence of the light sent a sickening thought sweeping over the merchant. Only the day before several barrels of gunpowder had been stored in the cellar, and one of them had been spened in order to get a sample for a customer.

"Where is that candle?" he asked her quickly, with his heart in his

mouth.
"I had my hands full and couldn't bring it up," the maid answered.

"Where did you leave it?"
"I sluck it in the black sand in the

open barrel," she explained.
But the merchant had not waited to hear her out. Into the hall and down the cellar steps he stumbled. His knees were shaking, his breath caught in his thront; death already seemed to have its grip upon blm.

Just beneath the room in which the guests were assembled stood the fatal barrel; the burning tailow candle up-right in the powder. To his horror he saw a long piece of burned out wick sugging in the reddish flame. If that spark should fall! He made a desperate more toward the candle-and stopped. The slightest touch or breath stopped. The suggitest fouch of preath might shake that glowing bit of wick into the powder. He heard the sound of laughter from above, and be trem-bled. He stared at the light, powerless to move

Suddenly the end of the wick nodded, and with its movement the merchant recovered from his momentary paralyain. Cautionsly he thrust both hands toward the candle; then, with a sudden squeeze, he smothered the wiel and flame in his grasp. Never relax-ing his hold, he carried the candle the length of the cellar; then he fainted.

#### WASTED TIME IN COURT.

How It Might Be Baved by Following the English System.

Professor Higgins tells how waste of time is avoided in English courts and suggests that the same practice ought to be adopted in American courts. It is done by "leading questions," of which the following is an example in an action for personal injuries, where the fact of the injury is admitted, but

the negligent act denied:
"Your name is John Doe, living at so and so. You are a painter by trade, and on May 1, 1914, you were on the Strand opposite the law courts and saw the accident when the plaintiff was run over by the defendant's bus. and you helped to pick the plaintiff up and carry him from the roadway?"

mony in that one question and answer would have been the subject of at least eight distinct questions and eight distinct answers, and in the hands of some lawyers this information would not have been elicited short of twenty questions, as: "State your name to the jury." "Where do you reside?" "What is your business?" "Where were you on May 1, 1914, at the hour of so and so?" "State what accident you saw, there, if any?" "What did you do then?" And so on, and so on.

American courts are run in as lei-surely manner as it there was nothing on hand except the trial of the particular case at bar, whereas usually the court is weeks, often months, and sometimes a year behind in its docket.--Kansas City Star.

Ancient Abyssinia.

The Abyssinians are a ed for their courage and good looks. Of a deep brown in color, they are well formed and handsome, intelligent and fond of gayety, too, but their needs are very simple, and they live in primitive fashion in rough circular stone buts thatched with grass. The history of Abyssinia dates very far back. Before Christ the country formed part of the ancient country of Ethiopia. The queen of Sheba was an Abyssinian queen, and the kings of Abyssinia claim derest from her.-London Spec-

Sick Herrings. "Why," said a youngster to his elder brother, "do berrings have so many more illnesses than other fish?"

"Who says they do?" asked the youth

"Why, this book says that thousands upon thousands of them are cured every year."

Not to Be Deceived. "Have you studied the plays of Sophcoles?" asked the serious young wo-

Quit jokin'," replied Mr. Lowbrow, "I know everybody in both leagues. There zin't any such player."-Wash-Ineten Star.

Mathematical Item.

Teacher-What is an unknown quantity: Bright Boy-What you get when you buy a ten of coal-Boston Tran-

An explision of chemicals with which he was experimenting instant-ly 1910d Howard M. Chase, 25, at South Arterore, Mass.

s on fell. Mass., bolds the lead select selling throughout the country, according to tests made in the Perest Park school,

### Wanderful Writing.

In competition for a prize offered by a newspaper for the best example of microscopic within: a render cent in a fairly readable and exhaustive account of the first voyage of Christo-pher Columbias and the discovery of

America written on a hen's egg. Another competitor's series of efforts included the Lord's Prayer written on a grain of wheat spin lengthwise and that chanter of Genesis inscribed within a circle no bigger than a shil-

ling.
A French Canadian sent in Francois Coppec's novel of "Rearlette," containing over 19,000 words, written on the back of a cubblet photograph.

On the inside of a silver watch case a girl of sixteen had engraved 2,107 words, using a tiny philinum needle dipped in a powerful acid.

A committee of six examined the various efforts through powerful inleroscopes, and eventually the prize was awarded to a man who sent in the first two sheets of a great newspaper written on a postenra,

#### Thankful Invalid.

"Well, Mrs. Davies," said the district visitor to the old woman who had been bedridden for years, "and how are you

"Oh, I'm pretty well, thank you."

was the cheerful answer.
"Ab, that's right!" responded the elergyman sympathetically. "I bardly expected to find you to be in such good apirits, considering your affiction. I was afraid I should find you down

"No, no, sir!" she cried, interrupting him. "No, no, judeed, sir! I've much to be thankful for, I have. Why, only the other night when that house just opposite was on fire I couldn't help thinking of all the poor people crushing each other in the street and many of them not getting a sight of the Ore at all, while here was I, all nice and comfortable in hed, and I could see it beautifully through my window with-out even turning over. Yes, sir; I've a lot to be thankful for,"—Exchange.

In ancient history there are two well authenticated instances of wild autmals being used by attacking armies. The first is related by Applan when

Navel Methods of Warfare.

describing the slege of Themiseyra, in Pontus, by Luculius in his war against Mithridates. Turrets were brought up. mounds were built, and huge nines were made by the Romans. The people of Themiseyra dug open these mines from above and through these holes cast down upon the workmen bears and other wild animals, together with awarms of bees. The second in-stance occurred in England when the Danes and Norwegians were attack-ing Chester, held by the Saxons and some Gallic auxiliaries. After adopting atoning and beiling water defenses in vain against the besiegers the Baxons threw down all the beebives in the town upon the attackers, who were

#### Crossing the Legs.

soon routed .- Exchange.

If we alt for some time with our legs crossed our foot "goes to sleep." We are really pressing on the sciatic nerve which supplies nearly all of the nerves of the leg and foot. The nerve is elas-tic and is flattened by pressure just like a rubber hose. The libers which make up the nerve are sensory-that and carry him from the roadway?"

To which the witness answers "Yes."

Now, in an American court the testifrom the brain to the body. The only way to stop a nerve carrying seasations is by cutting it or by pressure, which pushes apart the soft nerve matter, which is covered with a sheath just as the water is pushed apart if you press a hose. When the pressure is on the nerve messages cannot pass backward and forward. If the pressure is released the nerve matter returns to its place and does its work.

> The Loyal Bookseller Certainly the most loyal bookseller on

record was the John Stubbs who offended Oucen Elizabeth by publishing a book protesting against the proposed marriage with the "imp of the crown The unhappy man was condemned to suffer the loss of his right hand, which was accordingly chopped off with a butcher's knife in the market place at Westminster. remember." says Camden, "standing by Stubbs, who, as soon as his right hand was off, took off his hat with his left and cried aloud, 'God save the queen! The next moment he fainted. -"The Romance of Buokselling."

### Good Idea.

"I'm thinking of opening an all night hat store next door to some fashionable restaurant."

"What's the idea?"

"If a restaurant patron doesn't feel ilke tipping the hat boy he can walk out hareheaded, drop into my store and buy a new hat."—New York World.

Not Digestible.

Tramp-Picase, ma'am, will you give me a bite to cat? Lady-I baven't anything cooked but I can give you a pair of old shoes. Tramp-Excuse me, ma'am, but I'm ne goat.

Violent. "Was her father violent when you

asked him for her hand?"
"Was he? Great guns! I thought he'd shake my hand off."-London Saturday Journal.

Little Marlory-Mamma, what is a apinster? Mother-A spinster, my dear, is a woman to be envied. But don't tell your father I said so.-Liverpool

Mercury. If you would be loved, love and be lovable.-Franklin.

Crude.

"That young man is out to make a name for himself."

"What's the matter? Ain't he satis-Sed with the one his father gave him?"-Detroit Free Press.

'Children Ury FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

### SOME BASEBALL RECORDS.

Big Shutout Scores In the Modern His-

tory of the Game. In the early days of baseball white-washing a tests was one of the no t sensutional opisoles of the game. The ball was so lively, with pleaty of rubber between the covers, the pitchestdelivery so restricted and the beiding. owing to the hierkable tremendoes batting, so loose that to prevent a team from scoring was considered almost a miracle. Big scores were the rule, sometimes going into 100 runs. When the Mutuals in 1870 shut out the Chiengos, the score being 9 to 0, It created an excitement all over the country, the memory of which lasted for more than a score of years. Occasionally even now we hear of a team being "Chi-

Because of the radical changes in the rules of the game it would be rather misleading to measure present stundards with the models set up in "un-cient" days. "Modern" buseball hisctent" days. "Modern" buseball history begins in 1899.
In the major lengues (National league

and American association) big shutout scores and been registered in the au-clent days-280 in 1883, 24-0 in 1885 and 1887 and 23-0 in 1883. But the record in modern history is 10-0 in the National league and 21-0 in the Ameri

Three times in the National league s score of 19.0 was turned in. The first was made on July 15, 1893, in a game in Pittsburgh, the Picates shutting out Washingtons by these figures. Three years later, nearly to the day (July 8, 1890), the feat was repeated, the Pirates again shutting out the Washingtons, 19-0.

The third 19-0 game was played at New York on June 7, 1906, Chicago defeating the Chants.

In the American league Detroit shut out Cleveland, 21-0, on Sept. 15, 1001, and on Aug. 31, 1907, New York shut out Washington, 20-0, — Philadelphia

#### CAPTURED THE AUDIENCE.

Ned Harrigan's Plea at the Critical

Edward Harrigan once said that the most trying moment in his theatrical career occurred in New Orleans soon after the war between the states. He and gone south with his company and, yielding somewhat to popular request put on "The Blue and the Gray."

The play had been a success up north, but down south, with the air still full of the bilterness of the war, it was a dangerous experiment. Tony Hart was to represent the Confederate gray, so he hunted up a uniform of the Louisiana Tigers, and when he came marching on, young, stalwart, handsome, the typical soldier boy in the beloved uniform, the house, men and women, cheered and shouted and cried for all their heroes embodied in this

Harrigan, standing in the wings in his northern blue, waiting to go on, had just one thought. They'll kill me! Then he stepped out, the endbediment of the enemy, and a cold, dead silence fell upon the house. Not a liquid proved for thin. The nudience was tense with emotion, and there was only an instant to not if the play

was to be saved. - Harrigan, big, kindly, good looking. came swiftly down to the front and stopped over the footlight guiter, leaning down to them. "For the slove of heaven, won't you give the Yankee a bund?" he exclaimed.

At once the house was enught and all the pentup feeling turned the right way. There was a yell of applicase and the audience was won.

Opening the Stubborn Knife. Does your penknife blade refuse to open? Here is a certain and easy

method of bringing it to terms. Place one corner of your handker-chief over the back of the stubborn blade and wind the rest of it lightly around the knife. Hold the opposite corner between the first and second fingers of your right hand (if you are right handed) and throw the knife from you with some speed. Go over and pick it up and you will and the blade I have yet to find a kulfe so rusty that it will not yield to this treatment, and-it does save the thumb mails,

Chip of the Old Block,

"There goes a inlillocatre who brags about his son to everybody who will "Evidently the young fellow is not

like the average beir to great wealth." "No, indeed. The old gentleman was trimmed in the stock market inst week. and when he discovered that bis own son bud turned the trick he was the roudest man in the United States." Bitmingham Age-Herald.

Think of This.

"Found an honest man yet?" we asked Diogenes. "Ran across a phenomenon today that interested me almost as much. A lady giving up housekeeping was running around trying to find a situation for a good cook." -- Louisville Courier

How They Love Each Other, Agnes (yawning)-Oh, dear, I feel to-day as if I were thirty years old: Marle-Why, what have you been doing to rejuvenine yourself?-Boston Transcript.

A Fine Distinction. "Is her husband a medical man?" "No, I think he's just a specialist, or somethin"."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Be just and fear not. Let all the ends then almost at he thy country's, thy God's and truth's -Shakespeare,

Big Results.

First Former-Is limb getting any results from his scientific forming? Second Farmer-Gosh, yes! You can almost hear the mortgage grow!- Ex-

The best of us lack more'n wings to be angels.—Thomas B. Aldrich.

Deadly Raindrops.
The fiercest bombardment conceivable would not be nearly so destructive to human life as an ordinary shower if it were not for the protective covering of our atmospher. We live, move and have our being at the bottom of an air room forty mites or more deep. Therefore we are safe not only from failing raindrops, but from inelectites and other wandering hodies from outer space. But, supposing that it were possible for human beings to exist in an atmosphere that rose only to a few feet above their heads and that storm clouds could form in the region out-side such a low grade atmosphere, then every raindrop would prove as futal to earthly creatures as it it were a steel bullet fired from a dynamidto gun. As It is, however, the resistance of our atmosphere so materially reduces the rate at which the raindrops fall that they are harmless, though were it not for the hindrance they encounter from the air each drop would full with a velocity great enough to penetrate the full length of a grown man's body.

#### Animal Thieves.

Stealing is by no means rare among the furred and feathered creation, and many animals apparently band together for no other reason than criminal

Baboons always steal in bands. When they wish to rob an orchard they do it in a very systematic man ner. A sentinel is posted to warn of danger. The other bahoons then line up like a bucket brigade, one or two of the members scale the trees, and the fruit is passed along from one to the other until the last one gets it, when he puts it in a safe place.

Bees, while noted as workers, some times have lazy spells when they in-dulge in thieving. There are instances where whole colonies have attacked a hive, assaulted the sentinels and in mates and sacked the establishment. Bees that do this repeatedly usually end by becoming habitual criminals.-New York American.

#### Floor of the Ocean.

It is believed that to an enormous extent the bed of the ocean is covered with lava and pumice stone. Still more remarkable is it to find the floor of the ocean covered in many parts with the dust of meteorites. These hodies whirl about in the heavens like miniature comets and are for the most part broken into innumerable fragments. We are all familiar with these heavenly visitants as shooting stars, but it has been only lately discovered that this cosmic dust forms layers at the bottom of the deepest seas. Be-tween Honolulu and Tabiti, at a depth of 2,850 fathoms-over two miles and a haif-a vast layer of this material exists. Falling upon land, this impal-pable dust is indistinguishable; but, accumulating for centuries in the sen depths, it forms a wondrous story of the continuous hombardment of this planet by cometary bodies.

Trees and Wind.

The effect of wind upon trees is powerful. Even the presence or absence of forests may be determined by the character of the prevailing wind or the conditions that mostly it. The wind acts as a drying agent, giving a special aspect to many plants. When it is almost always from the same quarter the plants show greater develonment upon one side. Trees are small er on the windward edges of forests and trunks and branches are bent to leeward. The deformations are most marked near the sea or in that regions The cherry, plum, walnut, black pop lar, ash and certain place are very sensitive to the wind, but mountain pines and certain fits offer great powers of resistance, and these are rec-ommended for reforesting wind swept

Piain Hunger.
"Doctor, what disease is the most

prevalent among the poor?"
"An alarming condition in which the nerve terminations in the storach stimulated by accumulated secretions of the gastric glands send irritations to the spinal cord by way of the pneu-

mogastric nerve." Goodness! How gwful! And to think that we rich people can do nothing for those unfortunate sufferers!"veland Lender

Very Slow. "Do you drink coffee?" naked the doctor of an aged patient.

Yes," was the reply. "Coffee," continued the M. D., "Is a slow poison."

"Yes, very slow," replied the old man, "I have taken it daily for nearly eighty years."—London Answers.

A Goal He Had Never Reached. You are the greatest inventor in the world," said a newspaper man once to Alexander Graham Bell.

"Oh, no, my friend, I'm not," said Bell, "I've never been a reporter."

Light Reading. "Bliggins is a pessimist, isn't he?"
"Yes. He's so foul of bad news that he goes down cellar every morning to read the gas and electric meters."--

Washington Star.

"What causes all the trouble in this world, anyhow?" sighed the pessimist.
"People, I guess," replied the feelish optimist.-Detroit I'ree Press.

### Мопороју.

Mrs. Knicker-How many servants do you keep? Mrs. Hocker-One for general housestirk.-New York Sun. Fly the pleasure that bites tomorrow,

George Herbert.
Harry Marston of Mexico, Mo., was

held for the supreme court on a charge of neellecally shooting and killing Clarence Campbell of Rumford, while hunting. Mrs. Parmullina Gelsowini of

Watefield, Tess., accused of altempted for to be a lifer harband by putting particular to his some, was hold in \$10 ) for a h = mi.

### CURIOUS, COINCIDENCE.

Story of a Lucky Stone and a Trio M

Accidents. George F. Kunz, the well known gen expert, relates this little story of a lucky stone and the adventures of its owners: "Some years ago a meteorite was given to Edward Heron Allen, the famous writer on palmistry and the violiu, and this gifted man always were it about blin. One morning he awakened to find that the cuttre ruof above blig and fatten in except just that portion ever bis bed.

"He told the story to one of the lest known indies in Hoston, one who is known for her public spirit, her love of art and her faultless manner of cotertaining. This lady successfully urged Allen to give her the meteorite.

"A few days later while out driving a great truck with two runnway horses attached to it struck her carriage. Instinctively she raised her must to protect her face. The must was almost cut In two, but the lady was not burt. A few days later while she was walking under some scaffolding it fell, and the open part where the holsts went up proved to be just where sho stood. Although surrounded by ruin, she re-

mained unbarmed."
Whether the stone was a factor in averting disaster to its owners in their moments of peril is, however, a matter apart from the facts in the case .-Rochester Democrat and Chronicle.

#### HE KEPT THE TOOL.

And Prized It Because It Had Never

"I was throwing up dirt from an exeavation in the pavement one day," said an old laborer, "when a little old chap with white hair stopped to look on. I was as hig as two of him. After a minute or two I rested on my shovel

and looked up at him. Said I:
"It you had to do work with a shovel for your living you'd starve to death before you could make a treach

deep enough to bury you in."
"I thought that was a smart thing to say, and I laughed. Then be answered me. He was a slow speaking man with

a cort of drawl. "I might—starve—as—you—say,' be said, 'and yet I-bave-a-trade-in which I use-a-tool very much-likeyours. In fact-many people-whowork at my trade-use-the-tool-to-shovel dirt and filth-with-as-youdo-with-yours. This-sis--the-tool."

Ho handed me a steel nea.

"'Is it a joke?' I asked. "'It-is-a-tool-to-make -themwith,' he nodded. 'That-is-part-of--my-trade. My name - is - Twain-Mark Twain.

"I have the pen yet," concluded the laborer, "and no dirt was ever show-eled with it."—Now York Globe.

Rulers of England. The first to rule over all England was Egbort, king of Wessex, who united all the various petty kingdoms and became king of England in \$27. The greater kingdom was disrupted from 878 to 058, when the Danes ruled north of the Thames. In the latter year King Ldgar reunited the kingdom, and sluco that time it has never been partitioned. Between Edmund (rouside (1010) and Edward the Confessor (1942) three Danish kings ruled all England-Canute, Harold 1, and Hardicanute. The first king of Great Britain was James I. (1603). The first king of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland was George III. From the conquest of Ireland in 1172 by Henry 11, the kings of England were styled lord of Ireland until the assumption of the life king of Ireland by Henry VIII., and there after this title was used until the act of union in 1801. The imperial sover-

### eignty of India was assumed by Queen

History Made Palatable. Joseph Salvador, the French histo-rian, and Jules Saudeau, a novellat, made their incetting at a pipule recep-tion the occasion for a dispute as to the respective places which they occu-pled in the world of letters.

The reading of history is like a pill—it needs the sugar conling to make it palatable," argued the novellat.
"Ah, but it is the ingredient which

cures, not the conting," remarked the historian. "Then let us divide honors," sald Sandeau, "for if it were not for my

sugar conting your historical facts would dry on the shelves." Discretion.

"I say, Dick, lend me another ten. will you?" "Heavens! Why don't you go to work and earn money?" "Don't dare to, my boy. Peoplo would think the governor had dish-

herited me, and that would rula my credit."—Boston Transcript. Bad Mixture. "I like a man dat tells de truth." sald Uncle Eben, "because I kin trust

An' I don't mind a man dat fells

a falschood, 'causo I kin ketch film at it. But the man dat mixes up do two is terrible hard to keep up with."-Washington Stor.

Har Affliction. Nicco - Katherine writes me that Mrs. Dasher has got the alimeny. Aunt Sellna-Dear, dearl I'm afraid it will go hard with her. She is a frail, perrous creature.—Exchange.

### A 8mile.

A smile belrays a kind heart, a pleas-ant friend, an affectionate brother, a dutiful son, a happy husband. It adds a charm to beauty, and it beautitles tha face of the deformed.

#### An Easy One For Henry. Mrs. Owens (pausing in her writing)

-Henry, what is the name for the peoplo who come after us? Owens-Collectors, my dear.-Boston Transcript.

Children Cry

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NOTES

ADMINISTRATION BONDS, old city records, Newport, R. I. Owing to the poor condition of our filt records, many wills have been lost, and in such cases the Administration Bonds will be of much help. These records are in the custody of the Newport Historical Society.—E. M. T.

ADAMS. John, Newport Marriner, dec'd. Adm. Bond granted to David Huntington, June 4, 1764.

ARAMS. Richard, dec'd. Adm. bond granted to Wm. Gyles and Wm. James, Aug. 14, 1760.

ADKIN. Joseph, of Newport, dec'd. Adm. bond granted to John Morgan, Feb. 6, 1738-9.

ALLCOCK. Nathaniel, Newport Cordwainer, dec'd. Adm. bond granted to his son Nathaniel Allcock, Nov. 20, 1769.

ALLCOCK. Nathaniel, granted power of adm on astate of his father. Nathan

ALMY. Benjamin, and Benjamin Church, granted power of Adm. on estate of Thomas Coggeshall, May 3, 1762.

ALMY. Christopher, Newport Merchant, dec'd. Adm. bond granted to Mary Almy, Wm. Almy, and Walter Challoner, July 21, 1748.

ALMY. Elizabeth, granted power of Adm. on estate of Samuel Almy (herson) Jan. 3, 1767.

ALMY. Capt. Job. Newport Merchant, dec'd. Adm. bond granted to William Eltery Dec. 8, 1743.

ALMY. Mary and Wm., and Walter Challoner, granted power of Adm. on estate of Christopher Almy, July 21, 1746.

ALMY. Samuel, Newport Marriner,

1746.
ALMY. Samuel, Newport Marriner, dec'd. Adm. bond granted to Elizabeth Almy (his mother) Jan. 3, 1757.
ALMY. Sarah, dau, of Benj. Almy of Newport, mariner, guardianship granted to Joshua Sayer, Sept. 5, 1768.
ALMY. Wm. and Mary, and Walter Chaloner, granted power of adm. on estate of Christopher Almy, July 21, 1746.
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ALNY. Joshus, appointed guardian to Richard Smith, son of Sarah Smith (dau, of John Hammet, Apr. —, 1763.
ANTHONY. John, a mustee, late of Carrisoc, dee'd, adm., bond granted to Martin Howard, March 5, 1764
ARMSTRONG. Matthew, dee'd, Adm. bond granted to Wm. Claggett, May 19, 1723.

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ARNOLD. Benedict, Newport Cooper, dec'd. Adm. bond granted to Caleb Arnold, Aug. 24, 1739.

ARNOLD. Caleb, granted power of Adm. on estate of Benedict Arnold, Aug. 24, 1739.

ARNOLD. Elizabeth and Wm. Arnold, granted power of Adm. on estate of Oliver Arnold, Nov. 2, 1741.

ARNOLD. Elizabeth, granted power of Adm. on estate of Wm. Arnold, Isn. 6, 1752.

ARNOLD. Oliver, Newport Physician, dec'd. Adm. bond granted to Elizabeth and Wm. Arnold, Nov. 2, 1741.

ARNOLD. Sarah, Newport widow, dee'd. Alm. bord granteo to Samuel Claice Nov. 5, 1745.

ARNOLD. Son., and Richard Ward, Alm. Trustees: John Wanton, Nath. Coolington, Sedert Gardner, Jona. Nath. Edward Thurston and Wm. Coolington, Arg. 23, 1721.

ARNOLD. William and Elizabeth, grantel power of adm. on estate of Oliner Arnold, Nov. 2, 1774.

ARNOLD. Win., late of Newport, Physician alias Surgeon; dee'd. Adm. bond granted to Elizabeth Arnold, Jan. 6, 1752.

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ATTWOOD. Anthony, Newport, Barber, dec'd. Adm. bond granted to Joseph Attwood. Dec. 6, 1762
ATTWOOD. Joseph, granted power of adm. on estate of Anthony Attwood, Dec. 6, 1762
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AVERY, John, Newport, Blacksmith, dec'd, Adm, bond granted to Mary June 2, 1746,

AYRAULT. Duniel, Jr., Stephen Ayrault and Frances Cranston granted power of adm, on estate of Walter Cranston, Dec. 5, 1763.

AYRAULT. Stephen, Samuel Carr, and Jabez Champlin, granted power of adm. on estate of Maurice Townsend, June 3, 1765.

AYRES, Thos., granted power of adm. on estate of Duncan Stewart, Aug. 4, 1765.

AYRES, Thos., son of Thomas, late of Newport; Ropemaker, Guardianship granted to Jonathan Jeffers, June 3, 1765.

(To be continued)

Quertes.

8768. NEWTON. - Simon Newton was b. Sept. - 1772. When was he mar-ried? Elizabeth Newton (wife of Si-mon) died Nov. 22, 1857, aged 78. What was the date of her birth? What What was the date of her birth? What was her name before marrying Simon?

John B. Newton (son of Simon), and John B. Newton (son of John B. first named). Is Bigeley or Bigley the correct way of spelling middle name?

Benjamin Newton (son of Simon), b. Dec. —, 1813. Full date wanted.

Simon Newton (son of Simon), and Thomas Pilman Newton (son of Simon) first named). Wanted, their birth and death dates.

death dates

Stephen Ayrault Newton (son of Edward Parc), b. June —, 1833. Full date wanted.

8769. Courer. - Who was Mary Cooper, wife of Simon? They had chil-dren born to them between 1861-1672? - S.T.

8770. SCOTT.—Thomas Scott in. in Newport, Aug. 6, 1764. Elizabeth Did they have children? Wanted, the ancestry of Elizabeth. J. W.

S771. MARYATT, -Samuel Maryatt m. Elizabeth Sawin in Newyort — 21,
—. What is the date of this marriage? They had children between 1742 and 1749. E. C.

ANSWERS.

ALLOCK. Nathaniel, Newport Cordwainer, dec'd. Adm. bond granted to his son Nathaniel Allock, Nov. 20, 1768.

ALLOCK. Nathaniel, granted power of adm. on estate of his father, Nathaniel Allock, dec'd. Nov. 20, 1769.

ALLEN. Elizabeth, granted power of adm. on estate of James Allen, Oct. 5, 1746.

ALLEN. Isaac. Newport Blockmaker, dec'd. Adn. bond granted to Jame Allen and Wm. Allen, Jan. 6, 1765.

ALLEN. Isaac, son of Wm. Allen, Jan. 6, 1765.

ALLEN. James, of Newport, Shopteeper, dec'd. Adm. bond granted to Elizabeth Allen, Oct. 5, 1746.

ALLEN. James, of Newport, Shopteeper, dec'd. Adm. bond granted to Elizabeth Allen, Oct. 5, 1746.

ALLEN. Timothy Henry, and Hannah Allen (wife of Timothy and mother of John Hammond), granted power of Adm. on estate of Isaac Allen, of Newport, Blockmaker, Jan. 6, 1755.

ALLEN. Wm. Receipt to Reuben Peckham, Sept. 28, 1739.

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ALLEN. Hannah, granted power of Adm. on estate of Timothy Hugher, and Hannah Allen (wife of Timothy Hugher), and Hugher (wife of Timothy Hugher), and

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### CITY OF NEWPORT.

An Ordinance in Amendment of Chapter 61 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of Newport Entitled "Henderson Home."

Son Holic."

It is ordained by the Representative Conneil of the City of Newport, as follows.

SECTION 1. See, 6 of said Chapter of is bereby amended by sirkiving out the words "nest preceding the date of his application" in be nith and sixth lines.

SEC. 2. This Ordinance shalt take effect upon its passage.

(rassed Nov. 26, 1916.)

A true copy. Attest.

F. N. FULLERTON, 122-5w. City Clerk.

OF the condition of the TIONAL RANK, at New of Rhode Island, at the close of business, November 17, 1916.

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Overdrafts secured and unsecured
U.S. Bonds deposited to secure
Chemistry 110,000 00

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\$419,160,00 Total
State of Rhode Island, County of Newport, set.
1. Henry C. Stevens, Jr., Cashler of the
at overnamed bank do solvently recent that
the above statement is true to the best of my
knowledge and belief.
1. C. STEVENS, JR., Cashler.

Sansorthed and sworn in before me this 224 day of November, 1918 FACKER BRAMAN, Notery Public.

Corred-Auest GEORGE W. SHERMAN, WILLIAM E. DENNIS, Inc.

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Candlesticks

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\$2.00

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You have talked it over together, come talk it over with Dear Old Santa, who has been studying your needs for years and years--He's known you have been heading towards "sensible giving" and has taken the thing by the horns this year and not a single thing has he brought that isn't chuck full of usefulness and sparkling with novelty. Gift thoughts you'd be glad to have in your own home because you've felt the need of them so many, many times.

Such things are of very little cost and really have an every day use, that continually keep the giver in mind in the happiest sort of way. It is these sort of things that he has been gathering for months past to help you make your Xmas bigger and better in the way of carrying more real happiness into the homes and hearts of your dear ones.

We are working with might and main to get this truly charming collection of gift thoughts rightly assembled for your easy choosing. It will be a pleasant treat to you-a genuine surprise too. So different from former years; so much MORE that's truly worth while, and so much less that is trifling.

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A midweek day when there isn't so much else for you to do. Set aside a few hours for the special purpose of looking. You'll find a myriad of new things that will fit the "puzzlers" on your list.

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#### GUARDIAN'S NOTICE.

Newport, December 2nd, 1918.

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THE UNDERSIGNED hereby gives notice that she has been appointed by the Proste Court of the City of Newport, duardism of the person and estate of the person and estate of the person and estate of the person and shifted and the person as Minnis Sallivan, of full age, of said Newport, and has given band according to law.

All persons having claims against stat wand are notified to the the same in the office of the clerk of said court within six months from the date of the direk industriesment hereof.

BRIDGET M. BULLIVAN.

ADMINISTRATION NOTICE.

Newport, Becember 2nd, 1916.

THE UNDERS GNED, Executor of the last will and testament of MICHAEL HONOVAN, is to of the City of Newport, eccased, which will have been admitted to probate b. the Probate Court of the City of Newport, bereby gives notice that be h. a accepted said trust and has given bond according to law.

All persons having chaus against said estate are hereby noticed to fits the the same in the officior of the clerk of said court within six months from the date of the first advertisement hereof.

122-3w JOHN 1, HONOVIN

Town of New Shoreham.

Collector's Sale

Collector's Sale

of the Collector of Taxes

of the Taxes Due and Un std.

THE UNDERSIGNED, Collector of Taxes

of the To not New Shoreham for the
years 1918, 1914 and 1915 hereby gives notice
that he will relia up public auction to the bight
est bidder, in the Town 1941 in said Town of
New Shoreham o the 16th day of December, A. D. 1916, at 10 o'cloth in the plant
the following 'e cribed parcels of rent said
(for the levy upon which notice is hereby
given) or so much thereof as may be necessary to any the taxes assessed thereon for the
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of which each of said estates is to be sold,
but not beluding the costs thereon, and the
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For a more complete and particular description of said estates reference is tereby
made and had to the records on file in the
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Terms of sale cash.

A parcel of land taxed to Phillip A. Mott, Jr. Amount due 1820, for the years 1913, 1914, 1915.

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Jr. Amount due \$18.00, for the years 1913, 1914, 1915.

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A careel of land taxed to Edgar II. and Ruth Willies. Amount due \$83.00, for the years 1918, 1914, 1915.

A parcel of land taxed to Georga F. Allen and wife. Amount due \$28.00, for the years 1913, 1914, 1915.

A parcel of land taxed to Charles and Elia M. Gibbert. Amount due \$28.00, for the years 1915, 1914, 1915.

A parcel of land taxed to Frank and Ida La bin. Amount due \$18.50, for theyears 1913, 1914, 1915.

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### Town or New Shorcham.

Collector's Sale

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Estates for Taxes bue and Unipaid.

THE UNDERSHONED, Collector of Taxes
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Town Clerk's office of the sail Town of N w Shoreham.
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A parcel of land taxel o Philip A. Mott, Jr. Amount due \$10°, for the years 1911.
A parcel of land taxed to Prank and Ida Lathan. Amount due \$22.00, for the years 1911, 1912.

ALMANZA J. RONE.

ALMANZA J. ROSE, Collision of Taxes for 1910, 1911 and 1912.

# The Savings Bank of Newport, R. I.

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chanics Building, Boston, Mass., December 9-20. Contributions of money, or else of old furniture, china, books, silver, prints, laces and jewelry, would be greatly appreciated by the Committee in charge of the Antique Shop. An earnest appeal is made to all people in New England to visit this Bazaar, where not only Christmas gifts can be bought, but exhibitions connected with the war and numerous other entertainments will be offered.

Trinity Place, Booth 30, Boston, Mass., and contributions of money should be sent to William C. Endicott, Treasurer of the Antique Shop, 71 Ames Building, Boston, Mass.

Mrs. Walter B. Chase has gone to

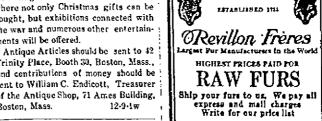
NOTICE.

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Providence, Soc. 11, 1792
Pursuant to the Rules of the District Court
of the United States for the District of Rhode
sland, notice is hereby given that John Alurphy, Jr., of Newport, in sad District,
has applied for admission as an Autorier Morphy, John Marketon as a has applied for admission as a has applied for said Court and Counsellor of said Court.

THOMAS HOPE.

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Monckton, New Brunswick, to attend the wedding of her brother, Mr. John Evans. Mrs. Chase expects to remain in New Brunswick for a week. Mrs. William C. Sproner and Mrs. Robert Doane were delegates to the Sunday School Convention in Providence on Tuesday, representing the Methodist Episcopal church.

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